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OF THE OFFICERS OF THE

TOWN OF CONWAY

New Hampshire



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For the Fiscal Year Ending December 31

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TOWN OFFICERS

SELECTMEN

Carroll A. Hill	Term Expires 1954	North Conway
Earl A. Shirley	Term Expires 1955	East Conway
George E. Densmore	Term Expires 1956	Conway

CLERK

Leon Shirley	Center Conway
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TREASURER

Mellen B. Benson	Conway
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COLLECTOR

Alfred F. Lowd	Kearsarge
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MODERATOR

Burnham B. Davis	Conway
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AUDITORS

Neil C. Cates	North Conway
Ralph L. Grindle	Conway

SUPERVISORS

Dana J. Farrington	Conway
Roger S. Burnell	Conway
Stetson F. Archibald	Conway

FIRE WARDEN

Ledorique T. Savard	North Conway
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LIBRARY TRUSTEES

Roger S. Burnell	Term Expires 1954	Conway
Ruth B. D. Horne	Term Expires 1954	Conway
Noel T. Wellman	Term Expires 1955	North Conway
Frank S. Allard	Term Expires 1955	Conway
Ruth A. Kennett	Term Expires 1956	Conway
Benjamin Perkins	Term Expires 1956	Center Conway

TRUSTEES OF TRUST FUNDS

S. Jean Fernandez	Term Expires 1954	North Conway
Benjamin Perkins	Term Expires 1955	Center Conway
Frank S. Allard	Term Expires 1956	Conway

TOWN WARRANT

State of New Hampshire

Carroll, SS.

*To the inhabitants of the Town of Conway, County of Carroll
qualified to vote in Town affairs:*

You are hereby notified to meet at the Kennett High School Auditorium at Conway, New Hampshire, March 9, 1954 at nine o'clock in the forenoon to act upon the following subjects:

Article 1. To choose all necessary town officers.

Art. 2. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for the following purposes:

Section a. Town officers' salaries

- b. Town officers' expenses
- c. Election and registration expenses
- d. Municipal Court expenses
- e. Expenses Town Hall and other town buildings
- f. Police department
- g. Fire department
- h. Insurance
- i. Civil Defense
- j. Health department
- k. Vital statistics
- l. Town office expense
- m. Town dump
- n. Town maintenance of highways, summer and winter

- o. Libraries
- p. Town poor
- q. Old age assistance
- r. Memorial Day
- s. Soldiers' aid
- t. Parks and playgrounds
- u. Damage and legal expenses
- v. F.I.C.A.
- w. Interest on temporary loans and bonds
- x. Payment on bond issue
- y. County taxes

Art. 3. To see if the town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to distribute the blank inventories at the time that they take their inventory of Head and Poll taxes.

Art. 4. To see if the town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to hire upon the credit of the town such sums of money as may be needed. Not to exceed the combined School, Town and County tax budget. In anticipation of taxes raised for Town, County and School purposes.

Art. 5. To see if the town will vote to combine the office of Tax Collector and the office of Town Clerk under one office. Having a desk and specified office hours at the Town Office. This change to become effective in 1955. This article is presented by a vote of the Budget Committee.

Art. 6. To see if the town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to hire a highway supervisor to be responsible to the Selectmen and to do away with election of a road agent each year. This article to become effective in the year of our Lord 1955. Agreeable to a petition signed by Leo Frechette and others.

Art. 7. To see if the town will vote to re-appropriate the \$3,000 as raised and appropriated under Article 7 in last year's

warrant and to raise and appropriate an additional \$3,500 for the purpose of defraying land damage in connection with the same.

Art. 8. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$9,568 for the purchase of a bulldozer, TD-9 (10 ton), International, Agreeable to a petition signed by Leo J. Frechette and others.

Art. 9. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate \$1,024.37 for Town Road Aid with the State contributing \$6,-829.10 and to see if the town will raise and appropriate \$4,470 for Class IV Urban with the State contributing \$4,470 and to raise and appropriate the sum of \$2,500 for State Aid Construction with the State contributing the balance for completion.

Art. 10. To see if the town will authorize the Selectmen to pay the town highway employees vacation pay. Agreeable to a petition signed by Wilfred J. Parent and others.

Art. 11. To see if the town will provide for a zoning commission of five members to recommend to the next Town Meeting or a Special Meeting the boundaries of zoning districts and appropriate regulations to be enforced therein, in accordance with Sections 50-71 inclusive, Chapter 5I, Revised Laws of New Hampshire 1942, as amended. The Zoning Commission shall make a preliminary report and hold public hearings thereon before submitting its final report to Town Meeting for action. And to raise and appropriate the sum of \$100 to carry out the provisions of this article.

Art. 12. If the preceding is adopted, to see if the Town Meeting will authorize the Moderator to appoint members to the Zoning Commission.

Art. 13. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of five hundred dollars (\$500) to assist in the opera-

tion of the Conway and North Conway Information Booths, this sum to be divided equally between the two booths, agreeable with a petition signed by William G. Gagnon and others.

Art. 14. To see if the town will vote to adopt the non-partisan ballot system for the election of town officers under Chapter 34 of the New Hampshire Revised Laws as amended by Chapter 22 of the Laws of 1943, and as otherwise amended, in lieu of ballot system now in effect. Agreeable to a petition signed by Herbert G. Upham and others.

Art. 15. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$50 for the purpose of mailing inventory blanks to all taxpayers on the property warrant records. Agreeable to a petition signed by Grace N. Cox and others.

Art. 16. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$15,000 to re-assess the Town of Conway, re-assessing to be done under direction of the State Tax Commission. Agreeable to a petition signed by John N. Leighton and others.

Art. 17. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$908.89 (1/100th of 1% of the assessed valuation of the town for the previous year) to the White Mountains Region Association, for the purpose of issuing and distributing printed matter and advertising and otherwise publicizing the advantages of the town in co-operation with the other towns of the region. Agreeable to a petition signed by Ralph L. Grindle and others.

Art. 18. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$1,000 to complete the Fire Hydrant project at the Town Hall voted for at the last year's meeting. Agreeable to a petition signed by Philip T. Cate, Jr., and others.

Art. 19. To see if the town will vote to have "A" Street in

North Conway tarred and to see what sum of money will be raised and appropriated for the same. Agreeable to a petition signed by George A. Robertson, Jr., and others.

Art. 20. To see if the town will vote to change the time of opening the Town Meeting of 1955 from 9 a.m. to 6 p.m. so that a better representation of the voters may have an opportunity to vote on the articles in the town warrant. Agreeable to a petition signed by Joseph Wendell Rancourt and others.

Art. 21. To see if the town will vote to elect one or more police officers as may be deemed necessary for the ensuing year and to continue to elect its police officers annually or until rescinded by some future Town Meeting. Agreeable to a petition signed by Henry A. Rothfuchs and others.

Art. 22. To choose all police officers provided for in the foregoing for the ensuing year, to designate who shall be Chief of Police and to determine salary for the same. Agreeable to a petition signed by Henry A. Rothfuchs and others.

Art. 23. To see what sum of money the Town of Conway will raise and appropriate to assist in maintaining the Memorial Hospital at North Conway.

Art. 24. To see if the town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to contract for the installation of parking meters in the town, in those places where parking creates unnecessary congestion, and that the revenue from the same be applied to the police department.

Art. 25. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$550 to defray the cost of prambulation of the town lines.

Art. 26. To act upon any other business that may legally come before said meeting.

Given under our hands and seal at Center Conway, N. H.,
this 19th day of February 1954.

CARROLL A. HILL
EARL A. SHIRLEY
GEORGE E. DENSMORE
Selectmen of Conway

A True Copy Attest:

CARROLL A. HILL
EARL A. SHIRLEY
GEORGE E. DENSMORE
Selectmen of Conway

BUDGET OF THE TOWN OF CONWAY

ESTIMATES OF REVENUE AND EXPENDITURES FOR THE ENSUING YEAR JANUARY 1, 1954 TO DECEMBER 31, 1954

Compared with

ESTIMATED AND ACTUAL REVENUE, APPROPRIATIONS AND EXPENDITURES OF THE PREVIOUS YEAR JANUARY 1, 1953 TO DECEMBER 31, 1953

	Estimated Revenue Previous Year 1953	Actual Revenue Previous Year 1953	Estimated Revenue Ensuing Year 1954
SOURCES OF REVENUE			
From State:			
Interest and dividends tax	\$8,000 00	\$12,226 22	\$10,000 00
Railroad tax	2,500 00	2,887 86	2,500 00
Savings Bank tax	500 00	962 64	800 00
Reimbursement a/c State and Federal forest lands	200 00	217 21	200 00
Reimbursement a/c exemption of growing wood and timber	10,000 00	8,445 78	8,000 00
National forest reserve	5 00	8 20	5 00
Reimbursement a/c old age assistance	300 00	996 83	300 00
From Local Sources Except Taxes:			
Dog licenses	500 00	999 50	750 00
Business licenses, permits and filing fees	500 00	415 00	500 00

Fines and forfeits, Municipal Court
Interest received on taxes and deposits
Income of departments:
 Highway, including rental of equipment
Motor vehicle permit fees
Sale of town property
Cash surplus
**From Local Taxes Other Than
Property Taxes:**
Poll taxes — Regular at \$2.00
National Bank stock taxes

250 00	348 71	250 00
100 00		300 00
400 00		500 00
10,000 00	17,707 66	14,000 00
	1,491 30	500 00
3,000 00	22,158 60	
3,000 00	3,044 00	3,000 00
1 00	15 00	1 00
\$38,756 00	\$68,877 51	\$42,406 00

*Total Revenues from All Sources
Except Property Taxes*

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PURPOSES OF EXPENDITURES

Current Maintenance Expenses:

General Government:

Town officers' salaries
Town officers' expenses
Election and registration expenses

Appropriations Previous Year 1953	Actual Expenditures Previous Year 1953	Estimated Expenditures Ensuing Year 1954
8,150 00	8,190 44	10,250 00
1,800 00	1,618 71	2,200 00
600 00	364 75	1,200 00

Municipal Court expenses	400 00	400 00	400 00
Expenses town hall and other town buildings	750 00	425 45	500 00
Protection of Persons and Property:			
Police department	7,980 00	8,165 76	8,410 00
Fire department	2,000 00	4,074 06	2,000 00
Insurance	2,500 00	2,925 68	2,500 00
Civil Defense	100 00		100 00
Town office expense	1,700 00	1,860 72	2,200 00
Health:			
Health department, including hospitals	50 00		50 00
Vital statistics	350 00	223 25	300 00
Town dump and garbage removal	1,200 00	1,327 85	1,200 00
Highways and Bridges:			
Town maintenance — summer and winter	50,000 00	73,700 75	40,000 00
Article 7	3,000 00		6,500 00
Town road aid	1,032 65	1,032 65	1,024 37
Libraries:			
Libraries	5,000 00	5,000 00	6,350 00
Public Welfare:			
Town poor	11,000 00	9,084 49	11,000 00
Old age assistance	14,000 00	13,275 06	15,000 00
Patriotic Purposes:			
Memorial Day and veterans' associations	275 00	275 00	275 00
Aid to soldiers and their families	2,000 00	1,005 21	1,500 00
Recreation:			
Parks and playground, including band concerts	450 00	490 80	450 00

Public Service Enterprises:

Article 10

100 00

Unclassified:

Damages and legal expenses, including
dog damage

225 00

225 00

1,100 00

Employees' retirement and social security

600 00

672 22

1,025 00

Information Booths

500 00

500 00

Article 18 (1953)

556 54

556 54

Article 19 (1953)

1,000 00

1,000 00

Interest:

On temporary loans and bonded debt

1,400 00

1,761 50

6,000 00

Outlay for New Construction and Perm. Improv.

Highways and Bridges:

Town construction — Urban Class 4

4,470 00

4,470 00

State aid construction — town's share

2,500 00

2,500 00

Center water hydrant

1,000 00

1,000 00

Special Article — Reappraisal

Payment on Principal of Debt:

Bonds

6,000 00

6,000 00

Payments to Other Governmental Divisions:

County taxes

24,939 10

24,000 00

School taxes

192,136 43

201,848 72

Total Expenditures

\$349,764 72

\$369,201 42

\$376,853 09

SELECTMEN'S REPORT

INVENTORY

Land and buildings	\$8,017,773 00
Electric plants	385,398 00
Horses, 46	3,100 00
Oxen, 2	250 00
Cows, 504	54,705 00
Other neat stock, (none)	
Sheep and goats, 9	165 00
Hogs, 44	1,100 00
Fowls, 1,525	1,525 00
Wood and lumber	16,054 00
Gasoline pumps and tanks	14,140 00
Stock in trade	691,268 00
Mills and machinery	91,000 00
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Total valuation	\$9,276,478 00
Exempted to veterans (soldiers)	187,564 00
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Total valuation exclusive of exemptions	\$9,088,914 00
Poll taxes at \$2.00 (1846)	3,692 00
National Bank Stock taxes	12 00

TAX RATES PER \$1,000 VALUATION

Town of Conway	\$34 40
Center Conway Lighting Precinct	4 40
Conway Village Fire District Precinct	8 40
North Conway Lighting Precinct	2 90
East Conway Fire District Precinct	2 50

APPROPRIATIONS

Town officers' salaries	\$ 8,150 00
Town officers' expenses	1,800 00
Election and registration	600 00
Municipal court expenses	400 00

Social Security or Retirement	600 00
Town hall and other buildings maint.	750 00
Police department	7,980 00
Fire department	2,000 00
Civilian defense	100 00
Town office expense	1,700 00
Health department	50 00
Town dump	1 200 00
Vital statistics	350 00
State aid construction	2,500 00
Town road aid	1,032 65
Town maintenance account (highway)	50,000 00
New construction (roads Class IV)	4,470 00
Libraries	5,000 00
Town poor	11,000 00
Old age assistance	14,000 00
Soldier's aid	2,000 00
Memorial Day (Vet. Assoc.)	275 00
Parks and playgrounds and Art. 10	550 00
Damages and legal expenses	225 00
Interest, on temporary loans and bonds account	1,400 00
Payments on bond issue	6,000 00
Insurance	2,500 00
Memorial Hospital (Art. 19)	1,000 00
Advertising and Regional Assoc. Art. 13, Art. 18	1,056 54
Article 15	1,000 00
Article 7	3,000 00
Supplemental Assessment 1952 school	1,468 76
County tax	24,939 10
School tax	190,667 67

Total town and school
appropriations

\$349,764 72

LESS ESTIMATED REVENUES AND CREDITS

Interest and dividends tax	\$12,136 14	
Savings bank tax	887 85	
Railroad tax	2,959 04	
Reimbursement a/c State and Federal lands	300 38	
Reimbursement a/c exemption growing wood and timber	8,445 78	
Motor vehicle permit fees	10,000 00	
Dog licenses	500 00	
Business licenses and permits	500 00	
Fines and forfeits -- Municipal Court	250 00	
Rent of town property and equipment	400 00	
Sale of tax deeded property	100 00	
Cash surplus	8,281 50	
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Total revenues and credits		\$ 44,760 69
		<hr/>
		\$305,004 03
Plus overlay		11,358 61
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Net amount to be raised by taxation		\$316,362 64
Less: Number 1846 of poll taxes at \$2.00	3,692 00	
Less: National bank stock taxes	12 00	
		3,704 00
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Amount to be raised by property taxes on which tax rate is to be figured		\$312,658 64

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT OF APPROPRIATIONS AND EXPENDITURES FISCAL YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1953

	Appropriation	Receipts	Available	Expended	Unexpended	Overdraft
Town officers' salaries	\$ 8,150 00	\$ 54 63	\$ 8,204 63	\$8,190 44	\$ 14 19	
Town officers' expenses	1,800 00		1,800 00	1,618 71	181 29	
Election and registration	600 00		600 00	364 75	235 25	
Municipal Court	400 00	348 71	748 71	400 00	348 71	
Town Hall and other buildings	750 00		750 00	425 45	324 55	
Office expense	1,700 00	318 63	2,018 63	1,860 72	157 91	
Police Department	7,980 00	76 07	8,056 07	8,165 76		\$109 69
Fire Department	2,000 00	2,157 84	4,157 84	4,074 06		
Health Department	50 00		50 00		83 78	
Vital statistics	350 00	33 00	383 00	223 25	50 00	
Town maintenance	50,000 00	20,373 67	70,373 67	73,700 75	159 75	3,327 08
Libraries	5,000 00		5,000 00	5,000 00		
Town poor	11,000 00	140 89	11,140 89	9,084 49	2,056 40	
Old Age Assistance	14,000 00	996 83	14,996 83	13,275 06	1,721 77	
Memorial Day	275 00		275 00	275 00		
Parks and playgrounds and Art. 10	550 00		550 00	490 80	59 20	
Soldiers' aid	2,000 00		2,000 00	1,005 21	994 79	
Interest	1,400 00		1,400 00	1,761 50		361 50
Insurance	2,500 00	12 50	2,512 50	2,925 68		413 18
Damage and legal	225 00		225 00	225 00		
Bonds	6,000 00		6,000 00	6,000 00		

County tax	24,939 10	24,939 10	24,939 10	
Town dump	1,200 00	1,200 00	1,327 85	127 85
Information Booths, Art. 13	500 00	500 00	500 00	
State Aid Construction	2,500 00	2,500 00	2,500 00	
Town road aid	1,032 65	1,032 65	1,032 65	
Class IV Urban	4,470 00	4,470 00	4,470 00	
Article 7	3,000 00	3,000 00	3,000 00	
Article 8	100 00	100 00	100 00	
Article 15	1,000 00	1,000 00	1,000 00	
Article 18	556 54	556 54	556 54	
Article 19	1,000 00	1,000 00	1,000 00	
Article on F.I.C.A.	600 00	600 00	672 22	72 22
	<u>\$157,628 29</u>	<u>\$24,512 77</u>	<u>\$177,064 99</u>	<u>\$4,411 52</u>
		\$182,141 06	\$9,487 59	4,411 52
			<u>\$5,076 07</u>	
		Unexpended Balance		

FINANCIAL STATEMENT

Fiscal Year Ending December 31, 1953

BALANCE SHEET

ASSETS

Cash in hands of Treasurer	\$102,158 60	
<i>Accounts Due to the Town</i>		
Due from State:		
Due for 1953 timber tax reimbursement	2,217 86	
Due for 1953 tax acc. State owned forest lands	217 21	
State aid construction, joint account as of 12/31/53 balance	19,585 94	
T.R.A. joint account balance 12/31/53	127 73	
Urban account balance 12/31/53	6,056 87	
Due from road toll refund for December 1953	37 78	
<i>Unredeemed Taxes:</i>		
Levy of 1953	15,084 54	
Levy of 1952	1,833 17	
Levy of 1951	853 95	
<i>Uncollected Taxes:</i>		
Levy of 1953	3,882 21	
Levy of 1952	418 20	
State Head Taxes 1952	45 00	
Total Assets		\$152,519 06
Net debt—surplus, Dec. 31, 1952	\$ 2,641 28	
Surplus Dec. 31, 1953	17,532 20	
Net surplus	\$14,890 92	

LIABILITIES

Accounts owed by Town:

Due collector for overpayment	\$ 131 32
Due state on Head Taxes (1953)	1,085 00
Due to School District, balance of of appropriation	80,000 00

State and Town Joint Highway

Construction Accounts:

Unexpended balance in state treasury	25,770 54
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Bonds Outstanding:

Highway and bridge bonds	8,000 00
Highway garage bonds	20,000 00

Total Liabilities	<hr/>	\$134,986 86
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Grand Total	<hr/>	\$134,986 86
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Excess of assets over liabilities (decrease in net debt)	<hr/>	17,532 20
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Grand Total	<hr/>	\$152,519 06
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Statement of Bonded Debt

TOWN OF CONWAY

December 31, 1953

	Highway Garage Bonds Balance Due at 2 % Interest	Highway Bridge Bonds Original at 2 % Interest	Total Annual Maturities
	\$20,000 00	\$8,000 00	
1954	4,000 00	2,000 00	\$6,000 00
1955	4,000 00	2,000 00	6,000 00
1956	4,000 00	2,000 00	6,000 00
1957	4,000 00	2,000 00	6,000 00
1958	4,000 00		4,000 00
	<hr/> \$20,000 00	<hr/> \$8,000 00	<hr/> \$28,000 00

Uniform Classification

RECEIPTS

Current Revenue:

From Local Taxes: Collected and
remitted to Treasurer

Property taxes	\$323,288 19
Poll taxes, 1522 at \$2.00	3,044 00
National Bank stock tax	15 00
Yield taxes	3,029 89
State Head taxes at \$5.00	9,540 00

\$338,917 08

Property taxes and yield taxes, previous years	8,361 93
Poll taxes previous years	310 00
Interest received on taxes previous years	357 57
Penalties on State Head taxes previous years	109 00
Head taxes previous years	1,128 00
Tax sales redeemed	17,199 11
Interest on tax sales	85 45
1953 property redeemed after sale	501 50
1953 interest after sale	44 72
1953 Head tax penalties after sale	79 00

From State:

Bounties	38 25
Town road aid and Class IV Urban	12,954 13
Railroad and Savings Bank tax	3,850 50
Interest and dividends taxes	12,226 22
Reimbursement National Forest reserve	8 20
State and Federal road toll reimbursement	755 69
Fighting forest fires	2,157 84
Reimbursement to Old Age assistance	996 83

From Local Sources Except Taxes:

Town office	318 63
Reimbursement to town officers' expenses	27 82

Dog licenses	999 50
Business licenses, permits, and filing fees	300 00
Taxi licenses	215 50
Police department (pistol permits and sale of firearms)	76 07
Reimbursement to town officers' salaries (FICA)	54 63
Municipal Court (fines and forfeits)	348 71
Reimbursement to previous year's business	11 62
Reimbursement to Vital Statistics	33 00
Reimbursement to highway maintenance	6,663 85
Reimbursement to Town Poor	140 89
Reimbursement to Insurance	12 50
Registration of motor vehicles, 1952 permits	181 50
Registration of motor vehicles, 1953 permits	16,616 16
Registration of motor vehicles, 1954 permits	280 00
Receipt from State on 1952 yield tax reimbursement	8,656 14
Yield taxes turned in by Selectmen to Treasurer	1,662 59
National Bank stock tax by Selectmen to Treasurer	1 00
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	\$436,681 13
Temporary loans in anticipation of taxes	\$89,792 50
Sale of town property	1,491 30
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	\$91,283 80
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Total Receipts, All Sources	\$527,964 93
Cash on hand Jan. 1, 1953	69,956 70
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	\$597,921 63

PAYMENTS

Current Maintenance Expenses:

General Government:

Town officers' salaries \$ 8,190 44

Town officers' expense	1,618 71
Election and registration	364 75
Municipal Court expenses	400 00
Expenses Town Hall and other buildings	425 45

Protection of Persons and Property:

Police department	8,165 76
Fire department, including forest fires	4,074 06
Office expense	1,860 72
Bounties	23 75
Damage by dogs and clerk's fees	164 80
Insurance	2,925 68

Health:

Health department, including hospitals	1,000 00
Vital statistics	223 25
Town dump	1,327 85

Highway Account:

Town road aid	1,032 65
Class IV urban	4,470 00
State aid construction	2,500 00
Town highway maintenance, including work done on T.R.A. and urban	73,700 75

Libraries:

Libraries	5,000 00
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Public Welfare:

Town poor	9,084 49
Old age assistance	13,275 06

Patriotic Purposes:

Memorial Day and veterans	275 00
Aid to soldiers and their families	1,005 21

Recreation:

Parks and playgrounds, including Art, 10	490 80
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Public Service Enterprises:

Information booths, Art. 13	500 00
F.I.C.A.	672 22
Article 15	1,000 00
Article 18	556 54

Unclassified:

Permits to Town Clerk Fees	
(Taxi licenses)	22 50
Damage and legal expenses	225 00
Abatements and refunds	1,970 69
Taxes bought by town	16,172 14
Auto permit fees	1,072 50

\$135,576 65

Interest for all purposes	1,761 50
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1,761 50

Indebtedness:

Payments on temporary loans	
in anticipation of taxes	89,792 50
Payments on long-term notes	2,000 00
Payments on bonded debt	4,000 00

\$95,792 50

Payments to Other Governmental

Divisions:

Payments to precincts	28,948 82
State Head taxes paid to	
State Treasurer	8,163 74
County taxes paid to County	
Treasurer	24,939 10
Payments to school districts	
(1952 tax, \$60,230.17)	
(1952 supplemental tax,	
\$1,468.76)	
(1953 tax, \$110,667.67)	172,366.60

Total payments to other governmental divisions	\$234,418 26
Total payments for all purposes	\$495,763 03
Cash on hand Dec. 31, 1953	102,158 60
Grand Total	\$597,921 63

SCHEDULE OF TOWN PROPERTY

Town Hall, land and buildings	\$20,000 00
Libraries, lands and buildings	25,000 00
Furniture and equipment	500 00
Police department, lands and buildings	2,500 00
Fire department (town equipment)	2,500 00
Highway department, lands and buildings and equipment	60,000 00
Parks, commons and playgrounds	7,500 00
Schools, lands and buildings	628,000 00
Equipment	73,000 00
Timber lot	1,000 00
Gravel pit	1,000 00
Lands acquired by Tax Collector's Deeds	
Restaurant on leased land	7,000 00
35 acres pasture and intervalle land	1,000 00
30 acres Jackman lot	60 00
1/8 acre, house and land	500 00
Land and buildings Side Track	1,000 00
Land and buildings County Road	1,800 00
Land and buildings Mechanic Street	3,500 00
Land and buildings Odell hills	200 00
1 acre, camp and lot, Fryeburg road	100 00
1/8 acre, camp and land, West Side road	400 00
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	\$836,560 00

TAX COLLECTOR'S REPORT

SUMMARY OF WARRANT

Property, Poll and Yield Taxes Levy of 1953

—Dr.—

Taxes Committed to Collector:

Property taxes	\$342,681 88
Poll taxes	3,692 00

Total warrant	\$346,373 88
Yield taxes	6,195 52

Added Taxes:

Property taxes	2,431 70
Poll taxes	194 00
National Bank stock	15 00
Interest collected	130 17

Total Debits	\$355,340 27
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—Cr.—

Remittances to Treasurer:

Property taxes	\$339,971 30
Poll taxes	3,164 00
National Bank stock	15 00
Yield taxes	3,029 89
Interest collected	130 17

Abatements:

Property	4,771 70
Poll	376 00

5,147 70

*Uncollected Taxes as Per
Collector's Lists:*

Property taxes	370 58
Poll taxes	346 00
Yield taxes	3,165 63

Total Credits	\$355,340 27

1953 HEAD TAX

Debits

Warrant	\$10,965 00
Added	550 00
Penalties	115 00

Total	\$11,630 00

Credits

Remitted to Treasurer	\$9,900 00
Abated	530 00
Penalties	115 00
Uncollected	1,085 00

Total	\$11,630 00

UNCOLLECTED 1953 HEAD TAXES

NORTH CONWAY

Bailey, Harry	Eastman, Unis
Brown, Donald A.	Ellie, Carl C.
Burdwood, Allen	Ellie, Dorothea
Cooper, Paul	Bertwell, Roger
Cooper, Minnie	Garnett, Donald
Coole, William	Garnett, Neva
Coole, Katherine	Graves, Clifford
Davis, Eva M.	Graves, Jerine
Davis, Walter	Greely, Adolphus, Jr.
Davis, Myrtle	Hallett, Crosby
Densmore, Albert	Hallett, Emily
Delaney, Bernard	Hallett, Howard
Delaney, Elouise	Hamilton, Carroll
Drew, Theodore	Hamilton, Esther
Drown, Chester	Hamilton, Walter
Drown, Howard	Howard, Lewellyn
Eaton, James	Howard, Janette
Eastman, Clayton	Inkles, Leo
	James, Frank Jr.

James, Helena
 James, Russell
 James, Isabelle
 Johnston, Howard
 Johnston, Hilda
 Leavitt, Ralph
 Leavitt, Lucille
 Logue, Joseph
 Logue, Bernice
 Mathieu, Floyd
 Mathieu, Lucienne
 McLynch, Francis
 Morrill, Russell
 Morrill, Gladys
 Munroe, Robert
 Munroe, Janette
 Nason, Franklin
 Nason, Corrine
 Rancourt, Wendell, Sr.
 Robertson, Floyd A.
 Russell, Franklin
 Russell, Evelyn
 Sargent, Chas.
 Sargent, Clara
 Shaw, Barbara
 Simard, Conrad
 Smith, Arthur
 Smith, Harriet
 Smith, Edward
 Snair, Richard
 Stone, Julia
 Sutton, William
 Sutton, Eleanor
 Thompson, Ralph
 Thompson, Opal
 Thompson, George
 Thompson, Rita
 Thompson, Roland
 Towle, Glen
 Towle, Barbara
 Tripp, John
 Trussell, Rose
 Wales, Inez
 Warner, Frank
 Wiggan, Kenneth
 Wiggan, Theodora
 Wiggan, Clara
 Yeaton, Leonard

CONWAY

Allard, Robert
 Allard, Loelta
 Anthony, Helen
 Bean, Russell
 Botting, Ardis
 Boutlier, Lillian

Boutlier, Roswell
 Budroe, Robert
 Budroe, Virginia
 Bushey, Chas. J.
 Bushey, Audrey A.
 Carpenter, Joseph J.
 Cluff, Myrtle
 Cotton, Dana
 Cotton, Helen
 Davis, Howard
 Davis, Katherine
 Day, Arthur
 Day, Elsie
 Devos, Renianer
 Dozier, Clarence
 Dozier, Mary
 Foster, Chas.
 Foster, Sadie
 Frechette, Wilfred, Jr.
 Frechette, Patricia
 French, Edwin
 French, Ruth
 French, William
 Frost, William
 Grant, Alvin
 Grant, Cloria
 Green, Clyde
 Griffin, Chas. A.
 Griffin, Virginia A.
 Haynes, Robert
 Haynes, Norma
 Hill, Warren
 Hill, Anna
 Hurd, Kenneth
 Hurd, Janis
 Jackson, Randolph
 Jackson, Patricia
 Johnson, Edward
 Kazanas, Christo
 LaFountain, Thelma
 Libby, Eleanor
 Locke, Charles
 Locke, Amy
 Locke, Leo
 Locke, Louise
 Lord, Pearl
 Lowd, Maurice
 Lowd, Ida
 McCormick, Harry
 McCormick, Margaret
 McDonald, Olive
 McKenney, Donald
 McKenney, Eudelle
 Marsh, Esther D.
 Martin, Lionel
 Martin, Francis

Merrow, Ray
 Merrow, Olive L.
 Moon, Harry
 Moon, Josephine
 Morey, George
 Morey, Irene
 Nelson, James
 Nelson, Dorothy
 Northrop, Fred A.
 Patten, Evelyn
 Potter, Harry A.
 Quint, Joyce
 Rand, Walter
 Rand, Irene
 Rogers, Stanley
 Rogers, Simone P.
 Gjelsten, Rolfe
 Gjelsten, Gladys
 Rowell, Fernald
 Rowell, Natalie
 Rowell, Leland
 Sawyer, Leona L.
 Sawyer, Thomas
 Sequin, Dorothy
 Sequin, Katherine
 Stimmans, Harold
 Turgeon, Francis
 Whitcomb, Charles
 Whitcomb, Mary
 Widger, Herman
 Willey, Lorin J.
 Wright, Donald
 Wright, Mary R.

CENTER CONWAY

Bonyton, Harvey
 Brown, Wallace
 Bryant, Robert
 Bryant, Marion
 Eastman, Elton
 Eastman, Alice
 Graves, Herbert
 Graves, Viola
 Haley, Verna
 Harmon, Reginald
 Heath, Urban R.
 Heald, Herman
 Hill, Harold
 Hill, Ruth
 Hill, Weneta
 Hunter, Stanley
 Leavitt, Bernice
 Littlefield, Charles
 McDonald, Henry
 McGinty, Lullabelle
 Morrell, Mabel C.
 Nesmith, Joseph
 Pond, Beatrice
 Sawyer, Arthur
 Sawyer, Avis
 Sawyer, Paul
 Snow, Everett S.
 Snow, Lorraine
 Tobin, Frank
 Tobin, Mary
 Watson, Francis
 Walker, Beverly
 Wentworth, Harold
 Wentworth, Beatrice
 Whitaker, Dorothy

UNCOLLECTED 1953 POLLS

NORTH CONWAY

Cooper, Paul
 Cooper, Minnie
 Coole, Katherine
 Davis, Eva H.
 Davis, Myrtle
 Densmore, Albert
 Delaney, Elouise
 Drew, Theodore
 Drown, Chester M.
 Drown, Howard
 Estaman, Unis
 Ellis, Carl
 Ellis, Dorothea
 Garnett, Neva
 Graves, Clifford
 Graves, Jerine

Greeley, Adolphus W., Jr.
 Hallett, Crosby
 Hallett, Emily
 Hamilton, Carroll
 Hamilton, Esther
 Hamilton, Walter
 Howard, Janette
 Inkles, Leo
 James, Frank, Jr.
 James, Helene
 James, Russell
 James, Isabelle
 Johnston, Hilda
 Jones, Joseph A.
 Leavitt, Lucille
 Logne, Joseph
 Logne, Bernice

Mathieu, Lucienne
 Morrill, Russell
 Morrill, Gladys
 Munroe, Janette
 Nason, Corrine
 Quint, Arnold
 Rogers, Beatrice
 Russell, Franklin
 Russell, Evelyn
 Sargent, Chas.
 Sargent, Clara
 Shaw, Barbara
 Simard, Conrad
 Smith, Arthur T.
 Smith, Harriett
 Smith, Edward
 Sutton, Eleanor
 Thompson, Opal
 Thompson, George
 Thompson, Rita
 Towle, Barbara
 Tripp, John
 Trussell, Rose
 Wales, Inez
 Werner, Frank
 Wiggin, Theodora
 Garland, Ira
 Harmon, Reginald L.
 Hunter, Stanley
 Pond, Beatrice
 Devoes, Reneanor J.
 Frost, William
 King, Arthur J.
 Locke, Chas.
 Locke, Amy
 Lowd, Maurice
 Nelson, James
 Orfield, Richard
 Potter, Harry A.
 Sequin, Katharine
 Tasker, Mary C.
 Thompson, Leslie
 Turgeon, Francis
 Willey, Lourin J.

CENTER CONWAY

Bryant, Marion
 Brown, Wallace
 Eastman, Alice
 Graves, Viola
 Haley, Verna
 Heald, Herman
 Hill, Harold
 Hill, Ruth
 Hill, Juanita
 Leavitt, Bernice

Littlefield, Chas.
 McDonald, Henry
 McGinty, Lullabelle
 Morrill, Mabel
 Nesmith, Joseph
 Poke, Newell
 Sawyer, Avis
 Sawyer, Paul
 Sayle, Gloria
 Snow, Everett
 Snow, Lorraine
 Tobin, Frank
 Tobin, Mary
 Watson, Francis
 Walker, Beverly F.
 Wentworth, Beatrice B.
 Whitaker, Dorothy

CONWAY

Allard, Lelleta
 Anthony, Helen
 Bean, Russell H.
 Botting, Ardis
 Boutlier, Roswell
 Boutlier, Lillian
 Budroe, Virginia
 Bushey, Chas.
 Bushey, Audrey
 Carpenter, Joseph
 Cluff, Myrtle
 Cotton, Helen N.
 Davis, Howard
 Davis, Katherine
 Day, Arthur
 Day, Elsie
 Dozier, Mr.
 Dozier, Mrs.
 Frechette, Wilfred J.
 Frechette, Patricia M.
 French, William D.
 French, Verna
 Foster, Sadie T.
 Frechette, Arline
 French, Edwin
 French, Ruth
 Green, Clyde
 Griffin, Charles
 Griffin, Virginia K.
 Grant, Gloria
 Haynes, Robert
 Haynes, Norma
 Hill, Anna
 Jackson, Patricia
 LaFountain, Thelma
 LeBlanc, Paul
 LeBlanc, Blanche

Libby, Eleanor
 Locke, Louise
 Lord, Pearl
 Lowd, Ida
 McCormick, Harry
 McCormick, Margaret
 McDonald, Alice
 McKenney, Eudele
 Marsh, Ester
 Martin, Lionel
 Martin, Francis
 Moon, Josephine
 Morey, George
 Morey, Irene
 Nelson, Dorothy
 Northrop, Fred A.

Patten, Evelyn
 Quint, Joyce
 Rand, Walter
 Rand, Irene C.
 Rogers, Stanley
 Rogers, Simone P.
 Rolfe, Gladys
 Rowell, Leland
 Rowell, Natalie
 Sawyer, Thomas
 Sawyer, Leona
 Sequin, Dorothy
 Stimans, Harold
 Whitcomb, Mary
 Wright, Donald
 Wright, Mary R.

UNCOLLECTED YIELD TAXES

1953	
Belmont Whitaker	\$ 42 60
Kennett Co.	1,210 93
Arthur Sawyer	15 86
Fryeburg Lumber Co.	59 22
J. Henry Thompson	88 29
Thomas Wry	84 00
Wm. Farrington	88 06
Wm. Mason	15 00
Harland Ballard	284 77
Leo Inkell	30 22

Harry Mason	9 20
Wylie Apte	3 00
Wilbur Hammond	1,034 49
Maurice Kimball	199 89
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	\$3,165 63
1952	
Frank Pike, Jr.	100 20
H. H. Ferrin	210 00
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	\$310 20

UNCOLLECTED PROPERTY TAXES

1953	
Raymond Bragg	\$ 87 52
Ardella C. Johnson	13 76
Warren Hill	90 73
Harry Mason	154 11

Fernald & Hansen	53 50
Joseph Carpenter	3 44
Wallace Brown	27 52
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	\$370 58

SUMMARY OF WARRANT
Property, Poll and Yield Taxes
Levy of 1952

—Dr.—

Uncollected Taxes as of January 1, 1953:

Property taxes	73 00
Poll taxes	318 00
Yield taxes	407 76

Taxes Added During 1953:

Property	49 00
Poll	82 00
Yield	15 25
National Bank stock	12 00
Interest collected on 1952 taxes	9 83

Total Debit		\$966 84

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*Remitted to Treasurer During Fiscal
Year Ending December 31, 1953:*

Property taxes	122 00
Poll taxes	288 00
Yield taxes	112 81
Interest collected	9 83
National Bank stock	12 00

Uncollected Taxes as per Collector's List:

Poll taxes	108 00
Yield taxes	310 20
Polls abated	4 00

Total Credits		\$966 84

1952 HEAD TAX

Debits

Warrant	\$ 1,118 00
Added	335 00
Penalties	107 50

Total	\$1,560 50
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Credits

Remitted to Treasurer	1,113 00
Abated	295 00
Uncollected	45 00
Penalties remitted to Treasurer	107 50

Total	\$1,560 50
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UNCOLLECTED 1952 HEAD TAX

Boutilier, Roswell	Graves, Clifford
Boutilier, Lillian	Graves, Jerine
Nelson, James	Rancourt, Wendell, Sr.
Nelson, Dorothy	McGinty, Lou
Thompson, Ralph	

UNCOLLECTED 1952 POLLS

Allard, Robert	Thibodeau, Loraine
Allard, Loeletta	Wales, Inez
Bean, Barbara	Cooper, Minnie
Boutilier, Roswell	Cloes, Florence
Boutilier, Lillian	Graves, Clifford
Bushey, Charles	Graves, Jerine
Carpenter, Lewis	Haley, Evelyn
Dunbar, Mary	Linscott, Belle
Frost, Sadie	Logan, Bernice
Gregg, Albert	McPhail, Alian
Gilpatrick, Evelyn	Schweizer, Nellie
Hutchins, Andrew	Sargent, Nellie
Hamel, Clarence	Smith, Odber
Locke, Amie	Smith, William
LaFontaine, Albert	Smith, Florence
Libby, Eleanor	Turgeon, Robert
Makara, Mary	Turgeon, Rita
Morton, Dorothy	Whitaker, Isabelle
Nelson, Ernest	Gagne, Frank
Potter, Ernest	Gagne, Sohma
Reese, Velma	Hunter, Stanley
Rowell, Leland	Hill, Kenneth
Rogers, Beatrice	Haley, Verna
Smith, Addison	McGinty, Lou
Smith, Urasa	Mason, Harvey
Stone, Almira	Pond, Beatrice
Sayle, Frederick	Therriault, Lena

SUMMARY OF TAX SALES ACCOUNTS AS OF DECEMBER 31, 1953

—Dr.—

	TAX SALE ON ACCOUNT OF LEVIES OF:		
	1953	1952	1951 Previous Years
(a) Taxes sold to town during current fiscal year	\$15,590 79		
(b) Balance of unredeemed taxes January 1, 1953		\$9,074 23	\$1,499 27
Interest collected after sale		260 57	65 94
Total Debits	<u>\$15,590 79</u>	<u>\$9,334 80</u>	<u>\$1,565 21</u>
			<u>\$431 82</u>

—Cr.—

Remittances to Treasurer during year	\$489 25	\$7,001 22	\$544 83	
Remitted for error in sale	17 00			
Abatements during year		138 08	80 07	\$219 94
Deeded to Town during year		101 75	20 42	211 88
Unredeemed taxes at close of year	15,084 54	1,833 17	853 95	
Interest remitted		260 57	65 94	
Total Credits	<u>\$15,590 79</u>	<u>\$9,334 80</u>	<u>\$1,565 21</u>	<u>\$631 82</u>

UNREDEEMED AT CLOSE OF 1953

Allard, Lula A.	\$ 54 56	Hutchinson, Kenneth	113 85
Armstrong, Leslie	32 87	Johnson, Geo. E.	28 83
Bailey, Velma	72 66	Johnson, Fred and	
Barnes, Lester C.	167 60	Beatrice	24 89
Bolduc, Helen and		Jones, Ada	42 62
Treffle	95 40	Jones, Ruth N	415 29
Brackett, Norman	96 62	Kelley, James E.	119 74
Brown, Archie, Jr.	52 54	McDonald, Vina	37 36
Brown, Earl & Ethel	73 38	McGinty, Catherine	4 64
Brown, Ruth & Wilber	16 46	McGraw, Royal	73 29
Bryant, Barbara and		Morgan, Florence	279 37
Lawrence	30 95	Nelson, Charles S	112 08
Carrier, Elizabeth and		Noel, Harry	799 05
Grafton	190 83	Northrop, Horace	45 17
Carroll County Service		Oakes, Edgar P.	235 40
Co.	165 57	Page, Orving	14 84
Colbert, Yvonne	49 96	Parke, Virginia	284 04
Crandall, Wallace and		Perry, Frank	68 97
Katherine	84 02	Potter, John B.	106 16
Dantos, Paul	2,583 74	Robinson, Russell T	29 18
Dempsey, John and		Rowell, Randolph and	
Helen	88 93	Bessie	48 17
Dow, Rachel B	52 54	Ruel, Alfred and	
Drown, Ernest A	24 56	Mabel	538 77
Eastman, Lydia	62 88	Sanphy, Roland	35 26
Eastman, Perley	25 25	Savard, Raymond and	
Garland, Roger	27 10	Nancy	16 27
Gaudette, Arthur	32 81	Schultz, Geo. and	
Gay, Ralph	29 14	Marion	372 02
Graves, Alfred	35 26	Shaw, John H.	59 16
Graves, Raymond	44 39	Smith, Odber	43 62
Green, Walter	11 54	South Conway Club	3 18
Hale, Henry, heirs	80 47	Stillings, Perley	135 29
Haley, Elmer and		Swan, Faylene and	
Evelyn	83 39	Lillian	37 47
Hamilton, Bertha	158 47	Thompson, Leslie E.	71 28
Harmon, Gemma L.	17 35	Tibbetts, Wilfred	161 88
Harmon, Reginald, Sr.	28 22	Tobin, Richard	167 07
Harmon, R. F. and		Tompkins, Willard C.	190 33
Gemma L.	326 50	Towle, Geo. W.	13 65
Harriman, Edw. B.	2 95	Turgeon, Robert and	
Hartwell, Frederick and		Rita	42 46
Jane	66 63	Tschol, Otto	428 49
Hatch, Fred A.	33 25	Urbansky, Charles,	
Hayes, Helen	30 56	heirs	6 36
Heath, Leona E.	8 50	Utley, Henry	178 28
Hebert, Mederic	227 82	Wagner, Philip	430 32
Hill, Richard	27 23	Whitaker, Belmont	18 19
Hodgkins, Geo. &		Wiggin, Clara	54 75
Newcomb, Helen	18 68	Witham, Richard	40 47
Houghkirk, Robert P.	53 99	Woodard, Rodney	158 47
Hoyt, John	66 35	York, William	35 46
Huntress, Maude L.		Buswell, Ethel M	85 40
heirs	123 34	DeLucas, Carmello	72 04

Ellington, Mary D.	1 59
Forest Glen Inn	763 01
Gameston, Wilford and	
Fairhurst, Lester	408 94
Harriman, C. H., heirs	96 62
Holbrook, John and	
Marion	11 54
Hutchins, Frank and	
Fred, heirs	3 95
Lyman, Sylvia	406 90
Noyes, Gerald	106 62
O'Brian, Thomas	51 30
Palmer, Robert	27 10
Richmond, Elizabeth	1 59
Sawyer, Annie O.	89 33
Taylor, Bartlett and	
Edna	314 05
Winters, Juliene	490 09
Zorzey, Lewis	454 83
Locke, Chas. E.	23 00

\$15,084 54

1952 TAXES

Bolduc, Helen and	
Treffe	48 40
Brackett, Norman	60 62
Dow, Rachel B.	3 40
Graces, Raymond	41 59
Hamilton, Bertha	35 22
Harmon, Gemma L.	19 88
Harmon, R. F., Sr.	22 75
Harmon, Reginald and	
Gemma	261 14
Hodgkins, Geo. and	
Newcomb, Helen	250 43
Hooghkirk, Robert	39 58
Johnson, Geo. E.	38 32
Johnson, Beatrice and	

Fred	40 69
Jones, Louis and	
Arthur	53 19
Kelley, James E.	88 18
McGinty, Catherine	5 27
Parke, Virginia	235 36
Perry, Chas. and	
Euella	3 09
Perry, Frank	69 46
Shaw, John H.	80 42
Swan, Lillian and	
Faylene	10 52
Thibadeau, Gene	12 35
Thompson, Edw.	18 40
Thompson, Leslie E.	35 96
Heustis, Harry E.	342 99
Palmer, Robert	35 96

\$1,833 17

1951 TAXES

Drown, Ralph	11 58
Drown, Percy	33 45
Harmon, Gemma I.	11 57
Harmon, Reginald F.,	
Sr.	14 10
Thompson, Edw.	16 46
Bourgaise, Emile	22 51
Chick, Willis and	
Gladys	7 20
Cobb, William	55 29
Comier, Mathais	3 19
Paulin, Adaline O.	4 45
Zorzey, Lewis	574 42
Palmer, Robert	33 43
Parsons & Sons Lumber	
Co.	66 30

\$853 95

TREASURER'S REPORT

RECEIPTS

Balance on hand Jan. 1, 1953		\$69,956 70
Temporary loans of \$90,000.00,		
less part of interest \$207.50	\$89,792 50	
Alfred F. Lowd, Collector	366,506 03	
John B. Reed, Collector, North		
Conway Water Precinct	587 33	
Leon A. Shirley, clerk	18,292 66	
Selectmen	52,437 70	
Municipal Court	348 71	

Total Receipts	\$527,964 93
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Grand Total	\$597,964 93
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PAYMENTS

As per Selectmen's orders	\$495,763 03
Balance on hand Jan. 1, 1954	\$102,158 60

DETAIL OF RECEIPTS

Lincoln R. Young Co., temporary		
loan		\$60,000 00
Carroll County Trust Co., temporary		
loan		15,000 00
North Conway Loan and Banking		
Co., temporary loan less		
interest \$207.50		14,792 50
Municipal Court		348 71
<i>Alfred F. Lowd, Collector</i>		
1953 Property	\$323,288 19	
1953 Polls	3,044 00	
1952 Property	122 00	
1952 Interest on property	4 28	
1952 Polls	288 00	
1952 Head taxes	1,113 00	

1952 Head tax penalties	107 50
1952 Yield tax	112 81
1952 Interest on Yield taxes	5 55
Previous years polls	22 00
Previous years National Bank stock tax	14 00
Previous years Head taxes	15 00
Previous years Head tax penalties	1 50
1953 Head taxes	9,540 00
1953 National Bank stock tax	15 00
1953 Yield tax	3,029 89
1953 Head tax penalties	79 00
1953 Interest on property	44 72
1953 Property at sale	16,683 11
1953 Polls at sale	120 00
1953 Interest on property at sale	85 45
1953 Head taxes at sale	360 00
1953 Head tax penalties at sale	36 00
1952 Property redeemed	7,002 22
1952 Interest on redeemed property	260 57
1951 Property redeemed	544 80
1951 Interest on redeemed property	65 94
1953 Property redeemed after sale	501 50

\$366,506 03

*John B. Reed, Collector, North
Conway Water Precinct*

1952 Property redeemed	\$498 46
1952 Interest on redeemed property	19 68
1951 Property redeemed	17 00
1951 Interest on redeemed property	1 55
1950 Property redeemed	50 64

\$587 33

Leon A. Shirley, Clerk

1954 Auto permits	\$ 262 82
1952 Auto permits	184 73

1953 Auto permits	16,672 92
Dog licenses	999 50
Taxi licenses	215 50
Less refund on permit, \$42.81	

\$18,292 66

Selectmen

Reimbursement to insurance	\$ 12 50
Sale of town property	1,491 30
Beano licenses	100 00
Road toll reimbursement	755 69
Reimbursement to fire	2,157 84
Reimbursement to highway	19,617 98
Timber tax	1,662 59
Reimbursement to vital statistics	33 00
Reimbursement to police department	76 07
Reimbursement to town poor	140 89
Reimbursement to O.A.A.	996 83
Bounties	38 25
National Forest reserve fund	8 20
Reimbursement to town office	318 63
Business licenses	200 00
Reimbursement to F.I.C.A.	54 63
Bank Stock tax	1 00
Reimbursement to timber tax	8,656 14
Interest and dividend tax	12,226 22
Reimbursement to Head tax	27 82
Savings Bank tax	962 64
Railroad tax	2,887 86
Reimbursement to 1952 business	6 28
Reimbursement to general fund	5 34

\$52,437 70

SPECIAL REPORT

Timber Tax

1952 cash on hand	\$ 75 00	
New England Box deposit	255 00	
Diamond Match Co.	470 00	
	-----	\$800 00

Disbursements

Alfred F. Lowd, Collector,		
New England Box tax	249 66	
Alfred F. Lowd, Collector,		
Diamond Match Co.	337 67	
Alfred F. Lowd, Collector,		
on 1952 deposit	75 00	
Selectmen, reimbursement on payment		
made to New England Box	5 34	
Diamond Match Co., balance		
on deposit	132 33	
	-----	\$800 00

Respectfully submitted

MELLEN B. BENSON,
Treasurer

TOWN CLERK'S REPORT

For the Fiscal Year Ending December 31, 1953

Debit

1952 Auto permits issued		
Series numbers 46123 to 46174	\$	181 50
1953 Auto permits issued		
Series numbers 46313 to 48350		
and 257251 to 257295		16,616 16
1954 Auto permits issued		
Series 47051 to 47070		280 00
Taxi licenses issued		215 50
Dog licenses issued		999 50
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		\$18,292 66

Credit

Paid to Treasurer	\$18,292 66
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LEON A. SHIRLEY,
Town Clerk

Highways and Bridges

Appropriation	\$50,000 00
Reimbursements, exclusive of gas tax	17,524 48
Reimbursement on gas tax	755 69
State of New Hampshire, reimbursement on Center Conway Saco River Bridge (actual amount paid out)	2,093 50
	\$70,373 67

Expenditures

Labor	\$26,694 83
Parts and supplies, including culverts	12,752 00
Gasoline and oil	4,892 81
Telephone, light and power	1,076 25
Express	131 91
Signs and signals	449 48
Gravel	846 25
Salt	1,247 40
Tar, including patching material	6,501 36
Hired equipment	9,484 46
New equipment	9,624 00
	\$73,700 75
Overdraft	3,327 08
	\$73,700 75

JOINT HIGHWAY PROJECTS WITH STATE

Appropriation T.R.A. town's share	\$1,032 65
Paid State Treasurer	\$1,032 65
Appropriation Urban Class IV	4,470 00
Paid State Treasurer	4,470 00
Appropriation State Aid Construction	2,500 00
Paid State Treasurer	2,500 00

General Expenses of Administration

TOWN OFFICERS' SALARIES

Appropriation	\$8,150 00
Reimbursement F.I.C.A.	54 63
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	\$8,204 63

Expenditures

Randolph F. Seavey	\$ 268 75
Carroll A. Hill	1,200 00
Earl A. Shirley	1,200 00
George E. Densmore	931 25
Alfred F. Lowd, Collector	1,000 00
Treasurer	400 00
Town Clerk	300 00
Office Clerk	2,650 00
Auditors	175 01
Trustee of Trust Funds	25 00
Town Library employees (F.I.C.A.)	40 43
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	\$8,190 44
Unexpended	14 19
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	\$8,204 63

TOWN OFFICERS' EXPENSES

Appropriation	\$1,800 00
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Expenditures

Printing	\$ 64 15
Mileage	1,142 89
Dues	3 00
Supplies	6 17
Tax Collector	198 07
Town Clerk	159 43
Registered Mail	30 00

Meals (Budget Committee Dinner)	15 00	
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	1,618 71	
Unexpended	181 29	
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		\$1,800 00

ELECTION AND REGISTRATION

Appropriation		\$600 00
	Expenditures	
Ballot clerks	\$ 81 00	
Moderator	15 00	
Assistant Moderator	15 00	
Supervisors		
Stetson Archibald	19 34	
Roger Burnell	160 30	
Dana Farrington	38 61	
Printing and supplies	35 50	
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	364 75	
Unexpended	235 25	
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		\$600 00

TOWN HALL AND OTHER BUILDINGS

Appropriation		\$750 00
	Expenditures	
Lights	\$168 64	
Janitor	27 40	
Cleaning	160 00	
Repairs	61 41	
Fuel	8 00	
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	\$425 45	
Unexpended	324 55	
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		\$750 00

OFFICE EXPENSE

Appropriation	\$1,700 00
Reimbursement	318 63
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	\$2,018 63

Expenditures

Town Reports	\$953 80
Registry of Deeds	111 81
Printing	48 34
Supplies	224 23
Telephone	223 46
Registered letters	27 95
Deeds	13 00
Register of Probate	2 00
Repairs of office equipment	25 28
Purchase of office equipment	210 85
Petty cash	15 00
Cleaner	5 00
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	1,860 72
Unexpended	157 91
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	\$2,018 63

POLICE DEPARTMENT

Appropriation	\$7,980 00
Reimbursements	76 07
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	\$8,056 07

Expenditures

Salaries	\$7,499 63
Fuel	57 35
Telephone	235 77
Supplies	53 51
Clothing	244 90
Meals (tramps)	10 00
Office equipment	57 60

Water	7 00	
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	\$8,165 76	
Overdraft		109 69
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		\$8,165 76

FIRE DEPARTMENT

Appropriation		\$2,000 00
Reimbursement		2,157 84
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Conway		\$4,157 84

Expenditures

Conway Fire department	\$1,331 00	
North Conway Fire department	137 00	
Center Conway Fire department	25 40	
L. T. Savard, warden	395 27	
Roger Burnell, deputy warden	44 20	
State of New Hampshire	2,141 19	
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	\$4,074 06	
Unexpended	83 78	
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		\$4,157 84

Interest

Appropriation		\$1,400 00
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Expenditures

Merchant's National Bank	\$440 00	
Lincoln R. Young Co.	704 00	
Carroll County Trust Co.	407 50	
North Conway Loan and Banking Co.	210 00	
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	\$1,761 50	
Overdraft		361 50
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		\$1,761 50

CASH REFUNDS (Abatements)

William L. Hale	\$ 47 00	
Alfred F. Lowd	232 03	
Howard L. Ross	5 00	
Carolyn Jenkins	19 00	
Ruth Kennett	10 66	
New England Box Co.	5 34	
American Legion Post No. 95	10 00	
David E. Hagar	7 00	
Kurt Wohlfart	18 30	
William E. Hedenburg	63	
Alfred F. Lowd	1,615 73	
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		\$1,970 69

MEMORIAL DAY

Post No. 95, The American Legion
North Conway, N. H.

Town of Conway, Memorial Day appropriation \$125 00

Expenditures

Community Center Band	\$125 00	
Post No. 46, American Legion, wreaths, markers, etc.	19 72	
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Total	\$144 72	
Overexpended		\$19 72

Indebtedness

TEMPORARY LOANS

Borrowed in anticipation of taxes	\$90,000 00	
Paid Lincoln R. Young Co.		\$60,000 00
Paid North Conway Loan and Banking Co.		15,000 00
Paid Carroll County Trust Co.		15,000 00

PAYMENT OF TOWN BONDS

Town bonds outstanding		
April 1 and May 1, 1953	\$6,000	00
Appropriation for 1953 paid to the Merchant's National Bank of Boston		\$4,000 00
Appropriations for 1953 paid to the Carroll County Trust Co.		2,000 00

Payments to Other Governmental Divisions

COUNTY TAX

Appropriation		\$24,939 10
Paid County Treasurer	\$24,939 10	

PAYMENTS TO PRECINCTS

Center Conway Lighting Precinct

Appropriation		\$1,240 00
Paid Treasurer	\$1,240 00	

North Conway Lighting Precinct

Appropriation		\$8,235 00
Paid Treasurer	\$8,235 00	

Conway Village Fire District

Appropriation		\$18,973 82
Paid Treasurer	\$18,973 82	

East Conway Fire District

Appropriation		\$500 00
Paid Treasurer	\$500 00	

SCHOOL DISTRICT

Balance due 1952	\$ 60,230 17	
Appropriation 1953	\$190,667 67	
Supplemental 1952	1,468 76	
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		\$252,366 60

Expenditures

Paid Conway School District	\$172,366 60
Due School District Dec. 31, 1953	80,000 00

\$252,366 60

Health

HEALTH DEPARTMENT

Appropriation	\$50 00
Unexpended	\$50 00

VITAL STATISTICS

Appropriation	\$350 00
Reimbursement	33 00

\$383 00

Expenditures

Paid Leon Shirley	\$223 25
Unexpended	159 75

\$383 00

TOWN DUMP

Appropriation	\$1,200 00
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Expenditures

Labor	\$ 794 75
Bulldozing	272 50
Fire control	248 50
Supplies	12 10

\$1,327 85

Overdraft	127 85
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\$1,327 85

Libraries

Appropriation	\$5,000 00
Paid Ruth Kennett, treasurer	\$5,000 00

Public Welfare

OLD AGE ASSISTANCE

Appropriation	\$14,000 00
Reimbursements	996 83
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	\$14,996 83

Expenditures

Paid State Treasurer	\$13,275 06
Unexpended	1,721 77
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	\$14,996 83

SOLDIER'S AID

Appropriation	\$2,000 00
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Expenditures

Food	\$304 19
Fuel	4 03
Hospital and medical	641 99
Cash	15 00
Funeral expenses	40 00
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	\$1,005 21
Unexpended	994 79
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	\$2,000 00

TOWN POOR

Appropriation	\$11,000 00
Reimbursements	140 89
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	\$11,140 89

Expenditures

Food	\$1,898 58
Rent	324 64
Clothing	116 36
Fuel	318 62
Lights	118 81

Insurance	266 10	
Hospital and medical expenses	2,383 53	
Board and care	2,509 85	
Cash (relief checks)	1,116 00	
Transportation	32 00	
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	\$9,084 49	
Unexpended	2,056 40	
		\$11,140 89

INSURANCE

Appropriation	\$2,500 00	
Reimbursement	12 50	
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		\$2,512 50

Expenditures

Paid A. D. Davis & Son, premiums	\$2,925 68	
Overdraft		413 18
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		\$2,925 68

MUNICIPAL COURT

Appropriation	\$400 00	
Reimbursement	348 71	
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		\$748 71

Expenditures

Paid L. Hamlin Greene	\$400 00	
Unexpended	348 71	
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		\$748 71

DOG LICENSES

Received from Town Clerk	\$999 50	
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Expenditures

Paid Leon Shirley	\$ 82 60	
Paid J. Philip Roberts	5 00	
Paid Randolph Jackson	5 00	
Paid E. M. Hussey, veterinarian	5 00	

Supplies	67 20	
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	\$164 80	
Unexpended balance	834 70	
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		\$999 50

Recreation

DAMAGE AND LEGAL

Appropriation	\$225 00
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Expenditures

Paid L. Hamlin Greene	
(Greene and Greene, retainer)	\$225 00

PARKS AND PLAYGROUNDS

Appropriation	\$450 00
Reimbursement from Art. 10	100 00
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	\$550 00

Expenditures

Paid Dr. Clarence Vaughan	
(North Conway)	\$250 00
Paid Everett A. Bemis	
(Center Conway)	50 00
Paid Conway Village Park	
Commission	100 00
Paid Clayton Mason (Redstone)	50 00
Paid out under Art. 10	40 80
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	\$490 80
Unexpended balance under Art. 10	59 20
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	\$550 00

CONWAY VILLAGE PARK COMMISSION

December 31, 1953

Cash on hand Jan. 1, 1953		\$272 29
May 27, paid Perley Purrington, labor	\$ 8 00	
May 27, paid Edward Chesley, labor	8 00	
May 28, paid Western Auto Store, seed and fertilizer	11 17	
May 29, paid Edward Chesley, labor	8 00	
May 29, paid Levitt Lowd, rubbish removal	3 00	
July 16, paid Phillip Allan, loam	20 00	
Oct. 10, paid Clifford Upham, care of park	18 50	
Nov. 12, paid James Botting, labor	10 00	
Nov. 12, paid Dana Cotton, labor	10 00	
Dec. 4, paid Irene Grindle, grass seed	1 69	
Bank charges	2 90	
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		\$101 26
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		171 03
Received from Town of Conway		100 00
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Balance		\$271 03

IRENE C. GRINDLE,
Treasurer, Conway Village Park Assoc.

Unclassified

TAXES BOUGHT BY TOWN

At tax sale of Alfred F. Lowd, 1953	\$15,590 79	
At tax sale of John B. Reed, 1953	582 10	
Due Alfred F. Lowd on 1953 tax sale	75	
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		\$16,173 64

Report of Police Department

The Conway Municipal Court handled a total of 131 criminal cases exclusive of juvenile matters in 1953. Eight cases of a serious nature were bound over to the Superior Court. The remaining 123 included 51 motor vehicle violations, the balance of 72 being the usual misdemeanors such as brawls, larceny, non-support, etc.

The Conway Police Department answered 289 calls for assistance; 8 persons were transported to the State Hospital in Concord; 40 accidents were reported, 2 of which were fatal; 281 warnings, speeding, parking, making unnecessary noise, etc.; 16 persons were escorted home; 89 persons, mostly transients, were lodged overnight in the police station and 3 cars reported to us as stolen were recovered.

The department settled many disputes and disturbances without making arrests and gave many warnings for improper operation of motor vehicles. I believe that in the majority of the cases a warning did as much good as an arrest.

Fingerprints were taken upon request of persons entering the service and of persons seeking government jobs.

A great many character checks were made on persons joining the Army, Navy, and Marine Corps.

Besides court cases, there were many motorists given aid, courtesy tickets were issued, checks were made on prowlers, urgent messages delivered that could not be reached other than by auto. Bicycles returned that were reported lost or stolen and numerous defective equipment tags were issued.

Outside of the regular duties of patrolling, checking, and working on motor vehicle violations is duty at Town Meetings and all other elections, graduations, parades, funerals and traffic duty in the skiing season.

Traffic during the busy season is a great problem which your department is endeavoring to handle to the best of its ability within the limits allowed by the appropriation.

This department endeavors to co-operate with all other agencies and takes this opportunity to acknowledge with appreciation all assistance received.

Many thanks to the telephone operators. This department appreciates their faithful assistance.

Active members of the Conway Police Force are:

Stetson Archibald, Special Officer

Arthur Seavey, Special Officer

Norman Eastman, Special Officer

Raymond Butler, Special Officer

Randolph Jackson, Special Officer

John P. Roberts, Chief of Police

JOHN P. ROBERTS,
Chief of Police

REPORT OF PUBLIC LIBRARIES

REPORT OF CENTER CONWAY LIBRARY

Cash on hand Jan. 1, 1953	\$16 18	
Received from fines	6 96	
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Expenditures

Paid for incidentals	98	
Paid for books	8 24	
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Cash on hand Dec. 31, 1953		\$13 92

Resources

Volumes owned Jan. 1, 1953	3,821	
Added by purchase	29	
Added by gifts	17	
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Discarded or lost		28
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Volumes owned Dec. 31, 1953		3,839

Circulation

Fiction	1,065	
Juveniles	465	
Miscellaneous	128	
Magazines	408	
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Total circulation		2,066

GERTRUDE A. SNOW,
Librarian

CONWAY PUBLIC LIBRARY

Report for the Year Ending December 31, 1953

Cash on hand Jan. 1, 1953	\$151 54	
<i>Received:</i>		
Fines	174 74	
D.P.S. rentals	109 23	
Non-resident cards	17 75	
Books lost or destroyed	9 12	
Gifts		
Memorial books	\$ 7 20	
Conway Woman's Club	44 44	
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	51 64	
All other sources	20 11	
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Total		\$534 13
<i>Paid:</i>		
Books	\$144 32	
Books for D.P.S.	45 47	
Periodicals	80 48	
Supplies	44 97	
N.H.L.A. Conference	34 50	
Name plates	22 35	
P.O. box rent	4 00	
Postage	8 27	
Incidentals	32 56	
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Total		\$416 92
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Cash on hand Dec. 31, 1953		\$117 21
<i>Resources:</i>		
Volumes owned Jan. 1, 1953	8,533	
Volumes added by purchase	260	
Volumes added by gift	68	
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		8,861

Deduct volumes lost or discarded	264
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Total volumes owned Dec. 31, 1953	8,597
<i>Services:</i>	
Volumes adult fiction loaned	7,585
Volumes adult non-fiction loaned	3,029
Volumes children's books loaned	2,645
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Total circulation	13,259
Reading room attendance	4,040

ALICE S. POLLARD,
Librarian

REPORT OF THE CONWAY LIBRARY TRUSTEES

January 1, 1953 to December 31, 1953

Receipts

Balance	\$ 307 49
Receipts	5,010 66
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	\$5,318 15

Expenditures

Salaries	\$2,984 98
Books and periodicals	588 61
Repairs	534 05
Heat and lights	856 19
Insurance	88 89
Other expense	230 52
Balance	34 91
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	\$5,318 15

Trust Funds

Clarence Eastman Fund	\$2,265 90
William K. Eastman Fund	1,218 91
Conway Public Library Trust Fund	740 23

(This fund was started by the late Alice Bean)

To the Citizens of Conway:—

It is good to report that the redecoration of the several rooms of our Conway Public Library is completed. Now the entire building is in a creditable state of repair. This year it will be necessary to make changes in the heating unit and the additional sum in the budget provides for that.

It may be of interest to report the meeting of the New Hampshire Librarian's Association in Conway last spring. Librarians from the entire state were represented and the program proved to be a stimulus for a Progressive Library Service.

Ira Glackens presented to the Library an old print published in 1798 of General Henry Seymour Conway, the man for whom our town is named. David Nichols gave some old documents of great historic interest. In the summer months Gary Burnell had on exhibition a series of colorful wood blocks depicting "Life in Japan."

The Conway Woman's Club sponsored several Story Hours for the younger children. A Great Books Discussion Group met in the Library during the fall and winter months.

Throughout the year in the Children's Alcove items of seasonal interest have been on display. Such things delight the younger patrons.

"Our Public Libraries help to maintain and interpret democracy." Conway's librarians are alert to the trend of the times and we as citizens should give generous support to one of the best institutions of our town.

Respectfully submitted,

Ruth A. Kennett, Secretary
Conway Library Trustees

AUDITORS' CERTIFICATE

This is to certify that we have examined the accounts of the Selectmen, Town Clerk, Tax Collector, Treasurer, Trustees

of Trust Funds, Library Trustees and Municipal Court of the Town of Conway and find them correct. Funds have been paid to the Treasurer as required by law, proper vouchers are on file for amounts paid out and the balance of cash on hand of \$102,-158.60 is on deposit with the Carroll County Trust Company. Town officers are properly bonded as required by law. Trust funds are on deposit with various savings banks as verified by their pass books.

NEIL C. CATES

RALPH L. GRINDLE, JR.

Auditors

YOUR TAX DOLLAR

The following is a comparison of Town, County and School costs as shown as percentages of your tax dollar for the years as shown:

		Rate
1946	Town percentage of tax dollar .42	21.36
	County percentage of tax dollar .10	4.85
	School percentage of tax dollar .48	24.29

	Tax dollar \$1.00	\$50.50
1950	Town percentage of tax dollar .35	15.91
	County percentage of tax dollar .09	4.08
	School percentage of tax dollar .56	25.61

	Tax dollar \$1.00	\$45.60
1951	Town percentage of tax dollar .31	13.61
	County percentage of tax dollar .11	4.56
	School percentage of tax dollar .58	25.33

	Tax dollar \$1.00	\$43.50

1952	Town percentage of tax dollar	.33	15.53
	County percentage of tax dollar	.09	4.31
	School percentage of tax dollar	.58	27.16
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	Tax dollar	\$1.00	\$47.00
1953	Town percentage of tax dollar	.31	10.52
	County percentage of tax dollar	.08	2.74
	School percentage of tax dollar	.61	21.14
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	Tax dollar	\$1.00	\$34.40

In 1946 the town was under the Town Manager form of government with Nat Stevens acting Town Manager. The other years listed are under the Selectmen.

It will be noted that the percentage of the tax dollar in town expenditures has decreased from 42% to 31%, while the percentage of the tax dollar in school expenditures has increased from 48% in 1946 to 61% in 1953. The County tax has ranged from 10% in 1946 to 8% in 1953.

The above figures should give you, the public, a somewhat more exact idea of what has happened in local government.

REPORT OF FOREST FIRE WARDENS

The fire season of 1953 was not a very pretty picture. It started out in fine shape with plenty of rain during the spring months. The month of June was the end of the rains and then a period of dry weather. During June we had quite a few lightning storms without any rains. On June 21 and 22 we had one of these storms that started over 43 fires in this state including the Mt. Shaw fire.

People burning without a permit or burning in unsafe places or at unsafe times were the cause of our largest number of fires. It is hard to believe why people do this when they have the expert advice of their town warden who is as close to them as their telephone. Your town Forest Fire Warden is not going to stop you from burning your rubbish or your old fields, but he wants you to burn in a safe place and at a safe time. You must remember it is unlawful to burn without a permit from your Forest Fire Warden.

We have inherited a tremendous responsibility in the priceless treasure of our natural resources. To keep these natural riches we must guard them from all destructive agents. The foremost among these agents is Fire — man's best servant but worst enemy.

REMEMBER—ONLY YOU CAN PREVENT FOREST FIRES!

Number of fires, 6; acres burned, 4½; permits issued, 76.

Forest Fire Warden
L. T. SAVARD

District Chief
ROBERT B. SMITH

REPORT OF SCHOOL BOARD

SCHOOL DISTRICT OFFICERS

School Board

Harold W. Thorne	Center Conway	Term Expires 1954
Ellis W. McKeen	Conway	Term Expires 1954
Arthur H. Furber	North Conway	Term Expires 1955
Edith C. Perkins	Center Conway	Term Expires 1955
Katharine D. Reed	North Conway	Term Expires 1956
Robert H. Kennett	Conway	Term Expires 1956

Moderator

Burnham B. Davis	Conway
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Clerk

Neil C. Cates	North Conway
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Treasurer

Ralph L. Grindle, Jr.	Conway
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Auditors

David B. Schurman	Conway
Chester B. Lucy	North Conway

Superintendent

David Appleton	Conway
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School Nurse

Julia T. Cox, R.N.	Conway
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Attendance Officer

Isabelle Hallowell	Conway
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Supervisory Union Secretary

Mildred A. Fulton	Conway
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Proceedings in Special School District Meeting, October 24, 1953.

Agreeably to the foregoing Warrant, a Special School District meeting was called to order at 2 o'clock p.m. in the Auditorium of the Kennett High School on October 24, 1953, by Burnham B. Davis, Moderator, who read the Warrant, Oath and Certificate of Posting, and the permission of Superior Court for the County of Carroll, State of New Hampshire, for the calling of this Special Meeting.

Under Article 1. The following resolutions were offered by Robert Morrell who moved their adoption, seconded by Harry Damon, Jr.

Resolved that the District construct and equip (1) an addition to the elementary school building in North Conway Village, said addition to consist of six classrooms, a multi-purpose room, so called, and such other facilities and improvements as the School Board may determine, and (2) an addition to the elementary school building in Conway Village, said addition to consist of six classrooms, a multi-purpose room, so called, and such other facilities as the School Board may determine, and

Further Resolved that the sum of Two Hundred Sixty Thousand Dollars (\$260,000) be and is hereby appropriated for the foregoing purposes, and

Further Resolved that the District borrow by the issue of serial notes or bonds as provided in Chapter 72 of the Revised Laws and amendments thereto, a total amount of One Hundred Eighty-eight Thousand Dollars (\$188,000) the proceeds of said notes or bonds to be used for the construction and equipment of the additions to said elementary schools, and that the School Board be and is hereby authorized to determine the time, place of payment, and rate of interest on said notes or bonds, and to do whatever may be necessary to the issuance thereof, and

Further Resolved that in order to provide for the balance of said appropriation, the accumulated capital reserve funds, previously voted and the interest accrued thereon be used, and the Trustees of Trust Funds are authorized and directed to pay over the whole of said funds and interest to the School Board as

agents for the District, to be expended for the aforesaid purposes, and

Further Resolved that the School Board be and is hereby authorized to do all things necessary or convenient to carry the foregoing into effect, including the employment of architects and engineers and the execution in the name of the District of a contract or contracts for the construction of the additions to said elementary schools and purchase of equipment for the same.

Proceeded to ballot on the foregoing motion by Yes and No ballot and using a check list of the legal voters of the District. Voted on motion of Harry Damon, Jr., seconded by Philip Schoolcraft as follows:

I move that voting on the main question shall be by written ballot, and that the check list shall be used and that the polls shall be open until 8 p.m. On voice vote the Moderator declared the motion carried in the affirmative.

The Moderator announced he would appoint as clerks to check on the check list and to assist in counting the ballots the following:

Neil C. Cates, Clerk

Robert H. Kennett

Ellis W. McKeen

Harold W. Thorne

Edith C. Perkins

Katharine D. Reed

It was voted that Article 2 be acted upon while balloting was going on under the motion under Article 1, and it was moved by Mr. Doucette, and seconded by Mrs. Colbath that the District appoint the same Building Committee selected at the 1953 Annual School District Meeting to work and advise with the School Board in the planning and construction of the additions to said elementary school buildings if authorized under the preceding Article, provided that final authority in all such matters shall remain vested in the School Board as required by law.

On a voice vote, the Moderator declared the motion carried in the affirmative.

At 8 o'clock p.m. the Moderator declared the polls closed and the ballots were counted, resulting as follows:

Yes ----- 388

No	185
Invalid or blank	7

Total	580

and the Moderator declared the motion under Article 1 carried in the affirmative.

Under Article 3. Voted to pass over the Article.

Voted to Adjourn.

NEIL C. CATES,
Clerk

School Board's Estimate for 1954-55

Administration

Salaries of district officers	\$ 1,040 00	
Superintendent's salary (local share)	3,150 40	
State-wide supervision	1,672 00	
Salaries of other administrative personnel	3,122 80	
Supplies and expenses	2,805 20	

		\$11,790 40

Instruction

Teachers' salaries	140,100 00	
Books and other instructional aids	5,000 00	
Scholars' supplies	5,500 00	
Salaries of clerical assistants	720 00	
Supplies and other expenses	4,460 00	

		155,780 00

Operation of School Plant

Salaries of janitors	12,000 00	
Fuel	9,800 00	
Water, lights and supplies	5,500 00	

		27,300 00

Maintenance of School Plant

Repairs and replacements 6,700 00

6,700 00

Auxiliary Activities

Health supervision 3,400 00

Transportation 12,744 00

Special activities 2,000 00

18,144 00

Fixed Charges

Retirement 10,550 00

Insurance 5,900 00

16,450 00

Contingency Fund

Contingency fund 2,000 00

2,000 00

Capital Outlay

New equipment 4,500 00

4,500 00

Debt and Interest

Principal of debt 22,000 00

Interest on debt 6,040 00

28,040 00

Adult Education

Adult education 400 00

400 00

Total Payments

\$271,104 40

Estimated Income

Federal aid 1,200 00

Area vocational	1,000 00	
Tuitions — elementary	4,070 00	
Tuitions — high school	54,150 00	
Other	1,000 00	
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<i>Total Receipts</i>	\$71,255 68	
Local assessment	199,848.72	
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<i>Total Appropriation</i>		\$271,104 40

Financial Report

Fiscal Year Ending June 30, 1953

RECEIPTS

Federal aid		
State — foundation aid	9,835 68	
Agriculture and home economics	\$1,557 35	
National school lunch	4,122 59	
Veteran's training	2,036 68	
State aid		
Foundation aid	5,531 24	
Agriculture	1,834 90	
Received from Selectmen		
Current appropriation	154,230 17	
State aid deficit	1,468 76	
Other sources		
Elementary tuition	3,871 10	
Secondary tuition	44,705 06	
All other	1,023 50	
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Total net receipts from all sources		\$220,381 35

Cash on hand at beginning of year, July 1, 1952	1,800 00
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<i>Grand Total Net Receipts</i>	<u>\$222,181 35</u>
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PAYMENTS

Administration

	High School	Elementary Schools
Salaries of district officers	\$ 465 50	\$698 25
*Superintendent's salary (local share)	1,169 48	1,754 22
Tax for state-wide supervision	428 50	1,153 50
Salaries of other administrative personnel	1,015 04	1,522 56
Supplies and expenses	1,052 90	1,529 35
*Conway	2,923 70	
Bartlett	654 87	
Jackson	321 10	
Eaton	147 87	
Chatham	97 18	
Albany	80 28	
	<u>\$4,225 00</u>	
State share	2,275 00	
	<u>\$6,500 00</u>	

Instruction

Teachers' salaries	46,612 32	56,484 87
Principal's salary	4,600 00	
Books and other instructional aids	1,478 04	1,339 77
Scholars' supplies	3,611 73	1,675 34

Salaries of clerical assistants	685 15		
Supplies and other expenses	2,280 40	1,523 44	
Operation of School Plant			
Salaries of janitors	5,123 97	5,304 16	
Fuel	2,966 55	2,202 71	
Water, lights, etc.	2,824 44	1,332 54	
Maintenance of School Plant			
Repairs and replacements	4,219 20	1,494 08	
Auxiliary Activities			
Health supervision	1,019 64	1,529 45	
Transportation	5,582 33	6,760 16	
Special activities and special funds	596 55	500 66	
School lunch	4,270 61		
Fixed Charges			
Retirement	2,513 93	3,770 90	
Insurance	1,005 97	1,508 95	
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Total Net Current Expenses	\$93,522 25	\$92,084 91	\$185,607 16
Capital Outlay			
Lands and new buildings		699 94	699 94
Additions and improvements to buildings	6,483 72		6,483 72
New equipment	2,042 00	465 20	2,507 20
Payments into capital reserve			20,000 00
Debt and Interest			
Principal of debt			4,000 00
Interest on debt			560 00

Adult Education

Veterans' training program	791 54
Other adult education	751 23

Total Net Payments			
for All Purposes	\$102,047 97	\$93,250 05	\$221,400 79
Cash on hand at end			
of year, June 30, 1953			780 56
<i>Grand Total Net Payments</i>			\$222,181 35

BALANCE SHEET, JUNE 30, 1953**Assets**

Cash on hand June 30, 1953	\$ 780 56	
Capital reserves (held by trustees)	50,000 00	

Total Assets		\$50,780 56
Excess of liabilities over assets		24,000 00

Grand Total		\$74,780 56

Liabilities

Capital reserves	50,000 00	
Notes and bonds outstanding	24,000 00	
Amounts reserved for special		
purposes	780 56	

Total Liabilities		\$74,780 56
Explanation of differences between net expenditures		
and gross transactions		

Receipts

Total net income plus cash on hand		
July 1, 1952		\$222,181 35
Receipts from refunds, "in and out"		
transactions between districts		2,330 20

Total Gross Income		\$224,511 55

Payments

Total net payments plus cash on hand	
June 30, 1953	222,181 35
Transfers to or from other accounts	2,330 20
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<i>Total Gross Payments</i>	\$224,511 55

ARTHUR H. FURBER
KATHARINE D. REED
ROBERT KENNETT
E. W. McKEEN
EDITH C. PERKINS
H. W. THORNE
School Board

Albany
Bartlett
Chatham

SUPERVISORY UNION No. 9

Conway
Eaton
Jackson

SCHOOL CALENDAR

1954-1955

September (18)					January (21)					May (21)				
M	T	W	Th	F	M	T	W	Th	F	M	T	W	Th	F
	7	8	9	10	3	4	5	6	7	2	3	4	5	6
13	14	15	16	17	10	11	12	13	14	9	10	11	12	13
20	21	22	23	24	17	18	19	20	21	16	17	18	19	20
27	28	29	30		24	25	26	27	28	23	24	25	26	27
					31					30	31			
October (20)					February (15)					June (13)				
M	T	W	Th	F	M	T	W	Th	F	M	T	W	Th	F
				1		1	2	3	4			1	2	3
4	5	6	7	8	7	8	9	10	11	6	7	8	9	10
11	12	13	14	15	14	15	16	17	18	13	14	15	16	17
18	19	20	21	22	21	22	23	24	25					
25	26	27	28	29	28									
November (20)					March (23)					Schools open September 7, 1954 Vacations Fryeburg Fair Day October 6, 1954 Teachers' Convention October 14-15, 1954 Thanksgiving Schools close Nov. 24 at 12:15 Christmas Vacation Schools close Dec. 17, 1954. Schools reopen Jan. 3, 1955 Winter Vacation Schools close Feb. 18, 1955. Schools reopen Feb. 28, 1955. Spring Vacation Schools close April 22, 1955. Schools reopen May 2, 1955. Memorial Day, May 30, 1955 Schools close Friday, June 17, 1955. Blocked in dates signify vacations - schools not in session.				
M	T	W	Th	F	M	T	W	Th	F					
1	2	3	4	5		1	2	3	4					
8	9	10	11	12	7	8	9	10	11					
15	16	17	18	19	14	15	16	17	18					
22	23	24	25	26	21	22	23	24	25					
29	30				28	29	30	31						
December (13)					April (16)									
M	T	W	Th	F	M	T	W	Th	F					
		1	2	3					1					
6	7	8	9	10	4	5	6	7	8					
13	14	15	16	17	11	12	13	14	15					
20	21	22	23	24	18	19	20	21	22					
27	28	29	30	31	25	26	27	28	29					

COMPARATIVE BUDGETS OF THE SCHOOL DISTRICT OF CONWAY, N. H. **HIGH SCHOOL**

	Expenditures 1952-1953	Estimated Expenditures 1953-1954	Estimated Expenditures 1954-1955
Instruction			
Teachers' salaries	\$51,212 32	\$57,200 00	\$64,000 00
Books and other instructional aids	1,478 04	2,417 00	2,400 00
Scholars' supplies	3,611 73	2,500 00	3,000 00
Salaries of clerical assistants	685 15	684 00	720 00
Supplies and other expenses	2,280 40	2,200 00	2,640 00
Operation of School Plant			
Salaries of janitors	5,123 97	5,225 00	5,500 00
Fuel	2,966 55	4,000 00	4,050 00
Water, lights, etc.	2,824 44	2,500 00	2,775 00
Maintenance of School Plant			
Repairs and Replacements	4,219 20	4,000 00	3,400 00
Auxiliary Activities			
Health supervision	1,019 64	945 00	1,140 00
Transportation	5,582 33	6,150 00	6,000 00
Special activities and special funds	596 55	1,500 00	2,000 00
School lunch	4,270 61		
Fixed Charges			
Retirement	2,513 93	3,560 00	4,747 50
Insurance	1,005 97	1,600 00	3,245 00

Capital Outlay

Lands and new buildings
Additions and improvements to buildings
New equipment

6,483 72
2,042 00
5,200 00
5,100 00
2,400 00

Adult Education

Veterans' training program
Other adult education

791 54
751 23
300 00
400 00

Total for High School

\$99,459 32
\$105,081 00
\$108,417 50

ELEMENTARY SCHOOLS**Instruction**

Teachers' salaries
Books and other instructional aids
Scholars' supplies
Supplies and other expenses

\$56,484 87
1,339 77
1,675 34
1,523 44
\$67,100 00
2,083 00
3,000 00
1,800 00
\$76,100 00
2,600 00
2,500 00
1,820 00

Operation of School Plant

Salaries of janitors
Fuel
Water, lights, etc.

5,304 16
2,202 71
1,332 54
6,000 00
3,000 00
1,500 00
6,500 00
5,750 00
2,725 00

Maintenance of School Plant

Repairs and Replacements

1,494 08
4,500 00
3,300 00

Auxiliary Activities

Health supervision

1,529 45
1,800 80
2,260 00

Transportation	6,760 16	6,476 80	6,744 00
Special activities and special funds	500 66		
Fixed Charges			
Retirement	3,770 90	4,228 60	5,802 50
Insurance	1,508 95	1,399 00	2,055 00
Capital Outlay			
Lands and new buildings	699 94		
New equipment	465 20	3,800 00	2,100 00
Additions and improvements to buildings		200 00	
Total for Elementary Schools	<u>\$86,592 17</u>	<u>\$106,888 20</u>	<u>\$120,856 50</u>
Administration			
Salaries of district officers	1,163 75	1,040 00	1,040 00
Superintendent's salary (local share)	2,923 70	3,105 65	3,150 40
Tax for state-wide supervision	1,582 00	1,622 00	1,672 00
Salaries of other administrative personnel	2,537 60	2,832 00	3,122 80
Supplies and expenses	2,582 25	2,839 40	2,805 20
Contingency fund		2,000 00	2,000 00
Debt and Interest			
Principal of debt	4,000 00	4,000 00	22,000 00
Interest on debt	560 00	480 00	6,040 00
Payments into capital reserve fund	20,000 00	20,000 00	
Grand Total	<u>\$35,349 30</u>	<u>\$37,919 05</u>	<u>\$41,830 40</u>
	\$221,400 79	\$249,888 25	\$271,104 40

School Treasurer's Report

for the

Fiscal Year Ending June 30, 1953

Cash on hand July 1, 1952		\$1,800 00
Received from Selectmen		
Current appropriation	\$154,230 17	
State aid deficit	1,468 76	
Received from State Treasurer		
State funds	7,561 54	
Federal funds	5,679 94	
Received directly from federal agencies	2,036 68	
Received from tuitions	48,576 16	
Received from all other sources	3,158 30	

Total Receipts		\$222,711 55

Total amount available for fiscal year		224,511 55
Less School Board orders paid		223,730 99

Balance on hand June 30, 1953		\$ 780 56
	ROGER O. RAND,	
	District Treasurer	

July 9, 1953

AUDITORS' CERTIFICATE

This is to certify that we have examined the books, vouchers, bank statements and other financial records of the treasurer of the school district of Conway of which the above is a true summary for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1953 and find them correct in all respects.

CHESTER B. LUCY

DAVID B. SCHURMAN

Auditors

July 18, 1953

Report of Superintendent

To the Citizens of Conway:

The year 1954 promises to be a good year for our school children. The favorable vote on the bond issue has eliminated one of our most serious problems. It will no longer be necessary to have split sessions for any grades and the overcrowded classroom conditions can now be corrected. The Conway School Board and School Building Committee are co-operatively making every effort to obtain the best school buildings possible for the funds available. The total educational program will be greatly improved through your investment.

Conway School District is fortunate in the quality of its teaching personnel. A factual understanding of the very critical shortage of teachers should point out the need for the establishment of a realistic policy for employing and retaining teachers.

There will be fewer than one hundred graduates from New Hampshire teacher training institutions available for approximately four hundred elementary positions, and this does not take into consideration the teachers needed to replace the many emergency or uncertifiable teachers now teaching in New Hampshire public schools. The seriousness of this situation cannot be overemphasized.

Our teachers have availed themselves of the opportunity for further study through an in-service training course of Philosophy of Education taught by Dr. John Kelley of the State Department of Education. As an outgrowth of last year's course in "Evaluation of Learning," two teacher committees are working on a cumulative record system and a more meaningful report of pupil progress.

The development of a sound educational program requires the best co-operative efforts of both the home and the school. Only by working together can the best interests of our children be assured. You are always welcome to visit our schools. The teachers are available for parent-teacher conferences every Tuesday and Wednesday afternoon; or will schedule such conferences

at other mutually agreeable times. The best way to guarantee that schools will contribute to community improvement, will work toward the fullest possible development of every child according to his interests and abilities, is through a program of continuous citizen co-operation for better schools.

The minutes of the special school district meeting have been made a part of the school report so that you may have a permanent record of the proceedings of that meeting.

I want to call your attention to the reports about our school program written by Mr. Davidson, Mr. Mayerson, and Miss Cox.

I want to take this opportunity to express my appreciation to the Conway School Board for their assistance in the administration of our schools.

DAVID APPLETON

KENNETT HIGH SCHOOL REPORT

February 10, 1954

Thirty years ago this spring Kennett High School graduated its first class of students. This spring, seniors from ten communities will be among the seventy-five graduates of the class of 1954.

The number of drop-outs and transfers to date for this year has been the lowest since World War II, with six students leaving school, and five students transferring to other schools because of changing home status. The average percentage of drop-outs over the past seven years has been 5% annually, but this year the figure to date represents only 1% of the total school population.

The over-all aim of the educational program at Kennett High School is geared to provide the best in educational experiences that will adequately serve the interests, capabilities and needs of an ever-changing school population in a highly complex world society. Kennett aims to meet the student at his level and attempt to develop his total personality, conscious of a social responsibility.

Your high school within the limits of its offerings attempts to serve the entire community. An adult education program is currently serving fifty adults and the physical plant is in constant use by the community groups.

Recent changes in the undergraduate school program include the elimination of the large and educationally unsound study-halls, and the substitution of the supervised study time within the individual classroom and under the direction of the subject-matter teacher involved. The beginnings of a permanent accumulative record for each individual student, backed by an adequate testing program, and teacher counseling for vocational and educational guidance have been realized. The utilization of community resources for the purpose of enriching the curriculum and supplementing the faculty offerings, and the introduction of a school-wide intramural athletic program for boys, and for girls to supplement the effective organization of the inter-scholastic athletic program are now an integral part of the school program.

Ever conscious of our weakness as well as our strength, it would be unsound not to report some of the challenging needs that must be met if our school is to continue to grow and improve as a community school serving the entire school population. These following six basic needs are suggested in terms of future planning.

1. Organization of a school library with a full-time librarian.
2. Additional instruction in commerce and shop.
3. Full-time guidance director with no teaching responsibilities.
4. Full-time instructor trained to help slow readers.
5. Full-time art teacher and a full-time music supervisor for Kennett students, making it possible to include both of these important areas of instruction in the curriculum.
6. Organization of a physical education program with a trained instructor for boys and one for the girls.

GEORGE T. DAVIDSON, JR.

ACTIVITIES REPORT

Financial Report

February 1, 1953 - January 31, 1954

Receipts

Football	\$569 37	
Basketball	654 45	
Baseball		
Received from students for the sale of equipment	221 49	
* Music	365 00	
** Miscellaneous	3,733 13	
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Total Receipts		\$5,543 44

Expenditures

Football		
Equipment, officials, and transportation	\$945 25	
In and out transactions for students	528 75	
Basketball	561 59	
Baseball	169 61	
* Music	101 26	
** Miscellaneous	3,128 20	
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Total Expenditures		\$5,434 66

Balance to be carried forward	\$108 78
Unpaid bills	475 00

* Receipts and expenditures from September 1, 1953 to January 31, 1954.

** Including in and out transactions involving the different activities in the school.

FACULTY AND PUPIL ENROLLMENT

KENNETT HIGH SCHOOL

George T. Davidson, Jr., Supervising Principal
 Gordon K. Mann, Assistant Principal
 Karl G. Seidenstuecker, Director of Athletics
 Mrs. Therna Sanborn, Social Studies
 Mrs. Daphne Merrill, Head of English Department
 Mrs. Wanda Pennett, Foreign Languages
 Hollis B. Robbins, Industrial Arts
 Miss Deborah Goldman, English
 Richard P. Stevens, Auto Mechanics and Electricity
 Mrs. Dorothea Thompson, English-History
 Leslie C. Hyberts, Business Education
 Parker W. Small, Jr., Agriculture
 George A. Robinson, Science
 Charles H. Broomhall, Science
 Mrs. E. Margaret Laurent, English
 Miss Mary Noyes, Home Economics
 Miss Lorna Ridley, Science-Social Studies

	1952-53	1953-54
Number of pupils	401	414
Seniors	77	73
Juniors	83	108
Sophomores	112	116
Freshmen	129	117

NORTH CONWAY ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

		Number of Pupils	
		1952-53	1953-54
Grade 8	Brownlow L. Thompson, Principal	28	29
Grade 7	Mrs. Catherine J. Beckley	26	32
Grade 6	William J. Mathurin	26	34
Grade 5	Miss Arlyne Carroll	32	34

Grade 4	Mrs. Anna L. Garland	34	28
Grade 3	Mrs. Reba Cressey	29	33
Grade 2	Mrs. Myrtle Gosselin	32	24
Grade 1	Miss Joanne Carroll	23	35
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		230	249

CONWAY VILLAGE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

Grade 8	Mrs. Margaret C. Gagnon, Principal	32	33
Grade 7	Mrs. Mary E. Mills	35	35
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		(67)	(68)
Grade 6	Clifton J. Thompson, Principal	35	23
Grade 5	Miss Joan Lowrey	23	34
Grade 4	Mrs. Vera N. Chasc	30	40
Grade 3	Mrs. Doris Pratt	40	28
Grade 2	Miss Jeanne Lord	31	25
Grade 2	Mrs. Karol G. Garland		22
Grade 1	Mrs. Beulah S. Parent	26	28
Grade 1	Miss L. Kathleen Lord	26	27
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		278	295

CENTER CONWAY ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

Grades 7-8	William H. Otis, Principal	17	18
Grades 5-6	Mrs. Mary-Elizabeth Walker	22	29
Grades 3-4	Mrs. Celia J. Kennett	23	20
Grades 1-2	Mrs. Elsie M. Masterton	26	33
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		88	100
Total number elementary pupils		596	644
Total elementary and high school pupils		997	1058

REPORT OF SCHOOL NURSE

I hereby submit my report as School Nurse for the year 1952-1953:

The annual health services offered the children of the Conway schools consist of vision testing, hearing testing, patch testing for tuberculosis, physical inspections, and hair and skin inspections. Weekly visits were made to the schools and, at this time, the teachers were given an opportunity to talk with me concerning the health of their pupils. Communicable disease control is exercised as far as possible by the exclusion of children showing signs of illness. The teachers are on the alert at all times in noticing any deviation from the normal conditions of the pupils.

In the fall of 1951, 281 pupils had physical examinations done by the school doctors. Dr. Chester M. Wiggin of Conway did the first and sixth grades of Conway and Center Conway, and all students participating in sports at Kennett High School. Dr. William G. Duprey of North Conway did the first and sixth grades of North Conway.

Last spring, in April, seventy-two of the fourth grade pupils were transported by the school bus to the Memorial Hospital in North Conway for physical examinations, which included both blood and urine tests. All defects which were discovered as a result of these examinations were reported to the parents with a follow-up visit by the School Nurse. The parents report a favorable reaction to this program of physical examinations and I hope they may be continued in the future.

The Conway Elementary School dental program has made splendid progress during this year with 389 pupils and 38 pre-school children receiving fluorine treatments. This fluorine treatment is most effective and can help us in our fight against tooth decay. However, there are many cases where cavities were present at this time of treatment, thereby lessening its effectiveness. Parents of these children are urged to co-operate with us by making sure that all defects are corrected as soon as possible.

To correct all immediate defects and to continue our fluoride treatments every three years will insure better teeth for our future citizens of Conway.

Respectfully submitted,

JULIA T. COX, R.N.

School Nurse

MUSIC DEPARTMENT REPORT

Vocal Music in our schools in the Conways plays a very large part in the over-all school curriculum. The first six grades receive a weekly visit from the music supervisor who plans with both the children and the teacher to make the music meaningful as well as enjoyable. Rhythm activities, listening and singing are emphasized to give each child a well-rounded basic background in this necessary part of his or her development. Out-dated, non-interesting texts are being replaced by modern music books. These books are modern not only in appearance but in thought as well. Meaningful learning is important. In the Junior High grades, those students who express the desire to sing are the ones who are given the opportunity to do so. Each school has its own chorus consisting of seventh and eighth grade students who have the interest. The High School Department of vocal music is quite active with four groups representing the school at various times. The Mixed Chorus and the Girls' Chorus meet during school time once a week whereas the Songsters meet after school for four hours every week. Another group, the men's quartet, has been organized by interested students but this has not been able to be included in the music teacher's schedule. The Songsters, acting as public relations experts, have sung at various meetings and schools throughout the Eastern Slope Region.

Instrumental music continues to mushroom and the program of building a better band seems to have definitely caught on in the area. In the elementary and junior high grades of the

Town, there are at least seventy-five youngsters studying instrumental lessons. Fifty of these are in the All Conway Junior Band, which rehearses once a week. As these youngsters enter the High School, they are given the opportunity to join the Kennett Band, which now numbers some thirty musicians, in a group which becomes more balanced as time goes on. Mr. Charles Zumbstein is the director of the Kennett Band.

Music in our schools is slowly reaching its goal of "music for all children, all children for music." It is hard to say what the future will hold, but if the interest continues as has been shown by the children along with their parents and teachers, Conway will be second to none as to opportunities for music education for youngsters.

PAUL S. MAYERSON

REPORT OF THE TRUST FUNDS OF THE TOWN OF CONWAY, N. H., ON DECEMBER 31, 1953

Date of Creation	Trust Funds — Purpose of Creation	How Invested	Amount of Principal	Balance beginning of year	Income During Year		Expended During Year	Balance End Year
					Percent	Amount		
Oct. 2, 1908	Andrew Dinsmore Cemetery Trust Fund. Andrew Dinsmore, donor.	North Conway Loan & Banking Company	150.00	\$ 92.88	2	4.87	\$	97.75
May 8, 1912	Conway Center Old Cemetery Trust Fund. Caroline W. Morrill and others, donors.	North Conway Loan & Banking Company	290.00	64.54	2	7.12	19.50	52.16
Jan. 1, 1917	Abial Smith Cemetery Fund. Abial Smith, donor.	North Conway Loan & Banking Company	50.00	3.46	2	1.06		4.52
June 1, 1920	Mary Adjutant Cemetery Fund. Mary Adjutant, donor.	North Conway Loan & Banking Company	100.00	7.50	2	2.15	2.00	7.65
April 3, 1922	Mary Banfill School Fund. Mary Banfill, donor.	North Conway Loan & Banking Company	235.00	83.15	2	6.39		89.54
Aug. 16, 1922	Osgood Thoms, and Emerson Cemetery Fund. J. Fred Thoms and others, donors.	Carroll County Trust Company	400.00	46.54	2	8.97		55.51
Feb. 3, 1923	West Side Cemetery Fund. Frank P. Allard and others, donors.	North Conway Loan & Banking Company	693.21	27.86	2	14.49	26.00	16.35
Jan. 2, 1925	Meeting House Hill Memorial Fund. Care of tablet and lot. Town of Conway, donor.	North Conway Loan & Banking Company	85.79	7.73	2	1.87		9.60
July 2, 1925	Brooks Cemetery Fund. Estate of Arthur E. H. Brooks, donor.	North Conway Loan & Banking Company	200.00	126.67	2	6.55		133.22
May 18, 1926	Emma P. Atkinson Fund, care of Deering Cemetery. Emma P. Atkinson, donor.	Carroll County Trust Company	100.00	4.99	2	2.10		7.09
Dec. 27, 1927	Charlotte Meserve Cemetery Fund. Charlotte E. Meserve, donor.	North Conway Loan & Banking Company	300.00	76.83	2	7.56	5.00	79.39
Dec. 27, 1927	Perkins Cemetery Fund. Emma N. Cook, donor.	North Conway Loan & Banking Company	150.00	6.66	2	3.14	5.00	4.80
Feb. 23, 1928	Etta Cole Cemetery Fund. Etta Cole Tarr, donor.	Carroll County Trust Company	300.00	75.20	2	7.53	5.00	77.73

Sept. 24, 1928	Sarah J. Carter Cemetery Fund. Sarah J. Carter and Herbert Q. Carter, donors.	North Conway Loan & Banking Company	400.00	115.12	2	10.35	125.47
July 10, 1929	Julia Webster, Cemetery Fund	Carroll County Trust Company	350.00	9.00	2	7.21	11.21
July 19, 1932	Calhoun Cemetery fund. George W. Calhoun, donor.	Carroll County Trust Company	310.92	8.80	2	6.41	9.21
Aug. 20, 1932	Charles J. and Alice R. Snow Cemetery Fund, Charles J. and Alice R. Snow, donors.	Carroll County Trust Company	100.00	25.33	2	2.51	22.84
Nov. 29, 1932	Robertson Cemetery Fund. Emme- line Fullerton, donor.	Carroll County Trust Company	100.00	5.28	2	2.11	7.39
Dec. 2, 1932	Garland Cemetery Fund. Susie M. Ham and Hannah A. Garland donors.	Carroll County Trust Company	100.00	9.61	2	2.19	11.80
Dec. 5, 1933	Ann R. Russell, Cemetery Fund	Carroll County Trust Company	500.00	135.87	2	12.79	149.66
Sept. 5, 1934	Samuel B. Shackford, Cemetery Fund. Heirs of Samuel B. Shackford, donors.	Carroll County Trust Company	100.00	8.08	2	2.17	10.25
Sept. 5, 1934	Richard B. Thom, Cemetery Fund	Carroll County Trust Company	194.66	20.74	2	4.32	25.06
July 30, 1935	Samuel C. Hatch, Cemetery Fund. Susan F. Morton, donor.	Carroll County Trust Company	100.00	7.53	2	2.15	4.68
Dec. 16, 1935	Lucia Morrill Lougee, Cemetery Fund. Care of Morrill Cemetery. Lucia Morrill Lougee, donor.	Carroll County Trust Company	150.00	14.02	2	3.29	12.31
Nov. 9, 1936	Bemis — Taylor Cemetery Fund. Albert S. Taylor and Alberta F. Titcomb, donors.	Carroll County Trust Company	100.00	19.33	2	2.39	21.72
June 24, 1938	Curtis Sinclair, Cemetery Fund. Ellen H. Davis and others, don- ors.	Carroll County Trust Company	300.00	9.31	2	6.21	10.52
July 3, 1940	Sylvia E. Hunter Cemetery Fund. Sylvia E. Hunter, donor.	Carroll County Trust Company	300.00	33.39	2	6.81	41.20
Nov. 6, 1940	Lillian Trundy, Cemetery Fund. Lillian Trundy, donor.	Carroll County Trust Company	150.00	6.48	2	3.14	4.62
March 3, 1941	Elmer E. Weeks, Lot No. 58. Katherine Weeks, donor	Carroll County Trust Company	25.00	4.46	2	.58	5.04
Nov. 3, 1941	J. Fred Shackford Cemetery Lot. J. Fred Shackford, donor.	Carroll County Trust Company	100.00	5.28	2	2.11	7.39

Oct. 13, 1942	Lucy J. Philbrook Trust Fund. Lucy J. Philbrook, donor.	Carroll County Trust Company	300.00	34.31	2	6.71	5.00	36.02
Mar. 16, 1943	Lovina E. Potter Fund. Harry E. Potter, donor.	Carroll County Trust Company	300.00	21.84	2	6.46	5.00	23.30
Oct. 23, 1943	Frank W. Davis Fund. Ruth E. D. Horne, P. S. Davis, Mildred Rich, donors.	Carroll County Trust Company	300.00	29.05	2	6.61		35.66
Oct. 30, 1944	George D. and Grace G. Petrie, Harold Q. Petrie, donor.	North Conway Loan & Banking Company	600.00	81.17	2	13.68		94.85
Dec. 22, 1944	Emma M. Robertson Cemetery Fund. Emma M. Robertson, donor.	Carroll County Trust Company	100.00	5.28	2	2.11		7.39
Feb. 25, 1946	Irving W. Young Cemetery Fund. George D. Young, donor.	Carroll County Trust Company	100.00	5.55	2	2.11		7.66
Jan. 3, 1947	Arthur Kenison Fund. Isadore Kenison, donor.	Carroll County Trust Company	332.00	8.18	2	6.73	5.00	4.91
June 26, 1947	Estate of Frank W. Tasker. Sadie F. Foster, donor.	Carroll County Trust Company	150.00	8.03	2	3.17		11.20
Mar. 29, 1951	Conway School District. For erection of new building.	New Hampshire Savings Bank Concord, N. H.	20,000.00	534.05	3	620.64		1,154.69
Mar. 17, 1952	Conway School District. For erection of new building.	Loan & Trust Savings Bank, Concord, N. H.	10,000.00	188.28	3	313.79		502.07
Jan. 7, 1953	Conway School District. For erection of new building.	Loan & Trust Savings Bank, Concord, N. H.	20,000.00		3			
Mar. 17, 1952	Conway School District. For erection of new building.	Amoskeag Savings Bank, Manchester, N. H.	10,000.00	226.13	3	309.08		535.21
Jan. 7, 1954	Conway School District. For erection of new building.	Carroll County Trust Company	10,000.00		2	167.33		167.33
June 21, 1951	Charles W. Nute Cemetery Fund. For upkeep of the Kearsarge Cemetery lot.	North Conway Loan & Banking Company	517.58	9.30	2	10.58	5.00	14.88
Oct. 29, 1951	John E. Potter Cemetery Fund. Arthur L. Potter, donor.	New Hampshire Savings Bank Concord, N. H.	300.00	10.59	3	9.38		19.97
Oct. 29, 1951	George A. Wagg Cemetery Fund. Mrs. George A. Wagg, donor.	New Hampshire Savings Bank Concord, N. H.	300.00	10.59	3	9.38	5.00	14.97

This is to certify that the information contained in this report is complete and correct, to the best of our knowledge and belief.

BENJAMIN PERKINS
S. JEAN FERNANDEZ

Trustees

VITAL STATISTICS

TO THE SELECTMEN — in compliance with an act of Legislature passed June session 1887, requiring clerks of towns and cities to furnish a transcript of the records of births, marriages, and deaths to the municipal officers for publication in the Annual Report, I hereby submit the following:

Births Registered in the Town of Conway, N. H., for the year Ending December 31, 1953.

Date of Birth	Name of Child	Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother	Birthplace of Father	Birthplace of Mother
Jan.	1 David John	Wilfred J. Bourque	Virginia A. Sheridan	Everett, Mass.	Berlin
	2 Donald Wayne	Carl Eastman	Viola P. Smith	Chatham	Fryeburg, Me.
	6 Russell Edward, Jr.	Russell E. Johnstone	Priscilla B. Bassett	Maine	Maine
	9 Robert Lee	Robert E. Bell	Vera V. Varney	North Conway	Rockland, Me.
	11 Judson Dinamore	Harland D. Howe	Lois E. Stevens	Canaan, Vt.	Dover
	16 Sheila Jane	Edwin C. Meader	Margie E. Quint	Madison	Conway
	16 Dwight Phillip	Grover W. Garland	Eleanor A. Charles	Bartlett	Bartlett
	17 Peter Scott	Wallace W. Reynolds	Rachael E. Gagnon	Amsterdam, N. Y.	North Conway
	30 Jan Ruth	Glen H. Thibodeau	Hazel W. Day	West Ossipee	North Conway
	31 Lucy Leslie	Edmund M. Warren	Marion E. Lucy	Penbrooke	Fryeburg, Me.
Feb.	1 Kenneth Rowland	Richard R. Fox	Anna A. Nutter	Harmony, Me.	North Conway
	1 Karen Ruth	Richard R. Fox	Anna A. Nutter	Harmony, Me.	Freedom
	2 Martha Louise	Lynwood A. Weeman	Clara E. Smith	Hiram, Me.	Hiram, Me.
	5 Loren	Norman Eastman	Vivian R. Robertson	Chatham	Conway
	6 Allen Wayne	Arnold P. Eastman	Irene E. Allen	North Conway	Bartlett
	8 Cathryn May	Esmond K. Dunham	Mary E. Buxton	Fryeburg, Me.	North Conway
	14 Cedric Clayton, Jr.	Cedric C. Dow	Virginia A. Butterfield	Richford, Vt.	Peabody, Mass.
	15 Pamela Ann	Richard H. Hill	Priscilla M. Eldridge	Mercer, Me.	Eaton
	18 Vivian Blanche	Wallace R. Nudd	Priscilla M. Eldridge	Cur. Sandwich	West Ossipee
	18 Catherine Alice	Harry S. Stephenson	Mary Ellen Evans	Newport, Vt.	Edgewater, N. J.
	21 Ellen Simpson	Arland C. Shea	Margaret L. Dunn	Conway	Nashville, Tenn.
	24 Anthony Wayne	Norman E. York	Mary E. McLellan	Harrison, Me.	Millinocket, Me.
	26 John Timothy	John S. Chesley	Mary E. McLellan	North Conway	Conway

Mar.	27 Clifford Elmer	Elmer C. Haley	Evelyn R. Parent	North Conway	Jackson
	5 Sandra Louise	Archie D. Webster	Evelyn M. Crouse	East Conway	North Conway
	7 Susan	Richard L. Morrow	Shirley Farrington	Wakefield, Mass.	N. Fryeburg, Me.
	8 Cynthia Kaye	Warren K. Standley	Agnes K. Bagley	Salem, Mass.	Springfield, Mass.
	10 Dennis Vincent 3rd.	Oscar V. Comer, Jr.	Cornelia B. Shackford	Madison	Madison
	12 Dennis Randolph	Henry H. Seavey	Dorothy J. Rines	Conway	Shelburne
	14 Walter Wayne	David E. Whitcher	Marilyn L. Locke	Chatham	Bartlett
	15 Kristine Lee	Nelson A. Hall	Doris N. York	North Conway	West Baldwin, Me.
	16 Robert Wentworth	Carl W. Arnold	Jean Louise Ward	Madison	North Conway
	18 Ann	Jesse E. Lyman	Mary Jane Livermore	North Conway	Westbrook, Me.
	19 Steven Wayne	Leopold Brochu	June D. Durgin	Sanford, Me.	Springvale, Me.
	20 Edward Alexander	Charles E. Bechr	Joan Kennedy	Englewood, N. J.	Rye, N. Y.
	21 Dennis Lee	Donald W. Ainsworth	Joanna Whitcher	Bartlett	Bartlett
	23 Allen Duane	Richard A. Savary	Barbara M. Teele	Boston, Mass.	Waltham, Mass.
	24 Jane Stephanie	J. Shumway Marshall	Lucille H. Sutton	Columbia	Colebrook
	26 Kirby Dayle	Odber W. Smith	Mary V. Randall	Conway	Wolfeboro
	28 Nona Gail	Daniel E. Drew	Bessie A. Savary	Conway	North Conway
	29 Terry Ann	Preston H. Mason	Dorothea E. Chase	Conway	Conway
	30 Lois Mae	Francis W. Aldridge	Louise M. Dana	Bartlett	Bartlett
April	30 Joanne Lynn	John E. Emery	Marjorie F. Head	Fryeburg, Me.	South Chatham
	6 Margaret Joan	Keith H. Francis	Nelle C. O'Connell	Frankfort, Me.	Chicago, Ill.
	6 Charles Wesley	Thomas C. Altenbern	Charlotte M. Jones	Osage, Iowa	Haverhill
	7 Moira	James G. Simonds	Joan P. Patterson	Montclair, N. J.	New York City
	17 Celia Marjorie	Norman G. Durgin	Helen A. Gould	Hiram, Me.	E. Brownfield, Me.
	17 Becky Jane	Merle W. Johnson	Lavina A. Hill	Jackson	Bartlett
	19 Arthur Ernest	Lewis E. Fernald	Eunice G. Griffin	Madison	Berlin
	19 Cecil Earl, Jr.	Cecil E. Frost	Ruth L. Sargent	Brownfield, Me.	Ervingham
	20 Richard Alan	William J. Anthony	Ethel M. Emerson	Madison	Bridgeton, Me.
	21 Scott Barry	Albion L. Libby	Janet L. Eldridge	Ervingham	Ossipee
May	21 Ronald Edward	Raymond E. Lowd	Louise E. Ormsby	North Conway	Me. Mass.
	4 Narelene Sue	Amos D. Brooks	Glady's P. Osmond	Freeton	Me. Mass.
	4 Ronald Guy, Jr.	Ronald G. Priest, St.	Evelyn R. Perkins	Guilford, Me.	Danmark, Me.
	6 Douglas Ande	Preston N. Chase	Teresa A. Mason	Conway	Parkman, Me.
	6 Peggy Jane	Fred A. Hatch	Mary R. Crouse	Newbury, Vt.	Amworth
	8 Janet Joyce	William A. MacKay	Priscilla B. Eastman	Bartlett	North Conway
	9 Sanford Gerald	Donald A. Linscott	Geraldine M. Osborne	North Conway	North Conway, Me.
	13 Catherine Ann	Almon G. Evans, Jr.	Shirley C. Webster	Worcester, Mass.	E. Brownfield, Me.
	13 Stefanie	Edward J. Cravedi	Priscilla L. Ayers	Amworth	Madison
	19 Beth Marie	Paul J. Deschambeault	Alice E. Wentworth	Worcester, Mass.	Stratton, Me.
	20 Karen Marie	Edward H. Grant	Eva Marie Bello	Brownfield, Me.	North Conway
	26 Richard Leon	Leon P. Eastman	Lucille E. Littlefield	North Conway	North Conway
	26 Laura Diane	James Henry Botting	Rita J. Twombly	Massachusetts	Madison
	27 James Edward	Frederic C. Sayle	Gloria A. Kall	Boston, Mass.	Floral Park, N. Y.

Births Continued

June	28 Joan Mae	Sherman A. Twombly	Alice M. James	North Conway	Bartlett
	1 Karen Ellen	Truman Libby	Paylene L. Swan	Scottville, S. C.	Lewiston, Me.
	1 Stephen Michael	William G. Duprex, Jr.	Nathalie G. McChrillis	New Hampshire	New Hampshire
	3 Nancy Elizabeth	Weth W. Towle	Dorothy L. James	North Conway	Cambridge, Mass.
	3 Marianne	Richard T. May	Mae F. Fowler	Ashtand	Washington, D. C.
	9 Andrea Lou	Louis Wheaton	Ola-Mae Dickey	Millinocket, Me.	Winterport, Me.
	14 Roger Eugene	Charles E. Young	Lena Johnson	Rowland, Me.	S. Windham, Me.
	17 Jean Rae	Raymond H. Jones	Frances E. Rogers	Fansfield, Me.	Brownfield, Me.
	20 Constance Ann	David A. Dudley	Cecile A. Bergeron	Colebrook	Beecher Falls, Vt.
	23 Gall Marie	Walter K. Phillips	Rita A. Elliott	St. Albans, Vt.	Fairfield Center, Vt.
	28 Karen Ruth	Edward F. MacMillan	Ruth E. Silvey	Reading, Mass.	Everett, Mass.
	30 Timothy Allen	Kenneth D. Black	Marjorie O. Murch	Newton, Mass.	Portland, Me.
July	6 Brook	Robert E. Duncan	Lorraine Moody	Birmingham, Ala.	Haverhill, Mass.
	7 Walter Mills	Arthur K. Lucy	Lacille F. Quint	North Conway	Conway
	13 Delight Joyce	Dwight C. Rogers	Paylene J. Stewart	Portland, Me.	North Conway
	14 Peggy Ann	Elwood O. Ross	Ethel I. Race	New York City	New York City
	20 David Stanley	Edgar A. Frechette	Kay P. Merrill	Conway	Bartlett
	26 Rose Marie	Robert H. Bray	Barbara J. Yeaton	Stonington, Me.	Conway
	26 Philip Maurice	Maurice R. Bougie	Phyllis T. Levesque	New Britain, Conn.	Lewiston, Me.
	2 Bernard Morris	Leonard L. Hatch	Colleen M. Banfield	Kryehburg, Me.	Tamworth
	6 Daren Melanie	Arthur L. Bolduc	Ruth A. Gliman	New Hampshire	New Hampshire
	8 Candice Joan	George W. Marcoux	Georgene Foucher	Bartlett	Columbia
	11 Leslie Ann	John N. Murphy	Lillian Stefanis	St. Johnsbury, Vt.	Pittsburgh, Pa.
	12 George Paul	Paul H. Dantos	Barbara A. Hatch	Portsmouth	Newburyport, Mass.
	13 Jane Elizabeth	John N. Morrissey	Evelyn F. Jackson	Bartlett	North Conway
	15 Michael Richard	Richard C. Nealley	Hazel Marsh	Eaton	Berlin
	15 Rosalie	Gordon C. Johnson	Cecile A. Buteau	North Conway	Bristol, Me.
Aug.	18 Doreen Hazel	George H. Allan	Evelyn F. Jackson	Bath, Vt.	Bristol, Me.
	18 Dennis Stanley	Carlos J. Brown	Erma M. Moore	North Conway	Tamworth, Me.
	19 Frances Pearl	Walter D. Miliken	Bernice I. Kimball	Sutton, Mass.	Bridgton, Me.
	19 Gary	Raymond G. Savard	Nancy K. Foley	Newtown, Mass.	Bath, Me.
	22 Elizabeth Todd	Frederick T. Schoch	Barbara M. Hart	North Conway	Brooklyn, N. Y.
	28 John Sutton	Sydney C. Mather	Marjorie Mayers	New York City	Brooklyn, N. Y.
	28 John Forest	Gerald M. Clough	Dorothy I. Scott	Haverhill, Mass.	Winterport, Me.
	2 Sue Ellen	Russell H. Bean	Robert E. Thurston	North Conway	North Conway
Sept.	3 Reva Joan	Carleton R. LaCasce	Nancy G. Hill	Portland, Me.	Fryburg, Me.
	6 Gary Franklin	Wilson E. Whitten	Nathalie M. Martin	West Baldwin, Me.	E. Parsonsfield, Me.
	8 Douglas Allan	Clifton R. Garland, Jr.	Jean I. Ludgate	Bartlett	Chicago, Ill.
	12 Linda Marie	Birger G. Carlson	Elsie M. Lamprey	Sweden	Salisbury, Mass.
	14 Robert Frederick	Norman L. MacDonald	Betty E. Fanno	Center Conway	North Conway
	15 Jane	Bruce M. Bottomley	Doris L. Thomas	Saugus, Mass.	Beaman, Iowa

Births Continued

Oct.	15 Norman Hugh 17 Sherrill Marie 18 John Henry, Jr. 20 William Perry 25 Elizabeth Anne 26 Elizabeth Anne 27 Frederick Charles, Jr. 28 Stephen Richard 30 Dan Alzhini 2 Rauford Allan 5 Michael Mac 6 Michael Halbert 10 Eleanor Jean 10 Teresa Joanne 11 Geraldine 13 Gardner 15 Bord Henry 18 Rand Thelma 21 Karen Thelma 21 Pamela Jean 22 Wayne Charles 23 Jill 28 Thomas Francis C. 11 Darlene Marie 2 Brian 4 Norman Gosse 7 Nancy Ann 10 Michael Howard 15 Claudia Jana 16 Margaret Cary 19 Merlin Magnus, Jr. 21 Sherrill Jean 23 Ellen Amy 25 Allan Edward 27 Barbara Karen 28 Mark Leonard 30 Karen Elaine 1 Rebecca Irene 3 Brent Walter 7 Shelly Ann	Norman O. Desjardins Frank E. Jamies, Jr. John H. Chablin Perry E. Smith Dwight E. Nickerson Robert C. Tripkerson Frederick C. Hartwell Richard T. Watson Albert A. Leone Robert G. Hill Leon A. Evans Carlton G. McAllister Donald H. Ballard Nelson Eastman John C. Ward, Jr. Leo H. Treadwell Gardner Johnson Robert E. Speckman Nathaniel C. Foss Arthur B. Sheaff Donald H. Clemons Ralph B. Farrington Everett W. Waterhouse Richard B. Earle Frank A. Graves Matthew J. Cullen Tjaard G. Hommes Philip A. Kondall Howard L. Ross Robert Mksen Nelson C. Haskell Merlin M. Fallon, Sr. Ronald N. Bartlett Robert W. Benson Alfred R. Prechette Charles S. Ford Lawrence E. Walker Leslie E. Thompson Robert D. Lucy Henry W. Fox, Jr. Richard E. Galarneau	Elmer M. Gross Helene O. Wittman June A. Thompson Mary E. Avery Joseph E. Bering Madeline E. Ward Francis M. McInty James A. Wood Mirtle A. Holart Elsie E. Wood Leila M. Hill Marilyn M. Evans Arlene M. Lane May A. Hill Carolyn J. Beane Alberta E. Mann Violet D. Eldridge Irene V. Sprunt Martha E. Allard Helen F. Chambers Marjorie P. Brown Anne C. Cadwalader Doris A. Ballard Lodewyka Van De Koppel Anne Swets Mary Joyce Thompson Marilyn A. Rooney Olive L. Brady Madeline C. Nichols Mary E. Ballard Faunie L. Brown Mary A. Heald Colleen M. Smith Thelma L. Lord Helen V. Sanborn Marie C. King Norma J. Bowser Beverly J. Grover Sarah I. Decker	Auburn, Me. North Conway, Me. W. Stoneham, Me. Conway Madison North Conway North Conway Springfield, Mass. North Conway Canaan S. Paris, Me. Fryeburg, Me. Dover, Me. St. Petersburg, Fla. Chatham Madison Colebrook, Me. Poland, Me. Keene Newburyport, Mass. Gilford, Me. Bartlett Oxford, Me. Littleton Cambridge, Mass. Conway Boston, Mass. Hilversum, Holland Berlin Lynn, Mass. Amherst, Mass. Hiram, Me. Fryeburg, Me. Fryeburg, Me. Conway Berlin Manchester Brownfield, Me. Porter, Me. Conway North Conway Skowhegan, Me.	Rochester Jackson Sweden Acron, Me. Ashland, Me. North Conway St. Louis, Mo. Hartford Groton Canaan North Conway North Conway Becket, Mass. North Conway Fryeburg, Me. Eaton Sweden, Me. Ossipee Dover, Mass. Boston, Mass. North Conway Conway Baltimore, Md. Conway Velp, Netherlands Amsterdam, Hol. North Conway Berlin Medford, Mass. Sheridan, Wyo. Conway Portland, Me. Berlin Denmark, Me. Bridgeport, Me. Conway Johnstown, Pa. North Conway Skowhegan, Me.
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Births Continued

8 Lawrence James	Leonard P. Bickford	Marion L. Yeaton	North Conway	Conway
9 Bruce Francis	Clyde W. Hall	Barbara F. Penna	Pryeburg	Danforth, Me.
11 William David	William W. Briggs	Leanne Webster	Washington, D. C.	North Conway
12 Marlon Ellen	Clarence C. Grover	Evadne A. Strout	Otisfield, Me.	Mechanic Falls, Me.
16 Arthur Oliver, II	Chester B. Lucy	Lydia C. Thorne	North Conway	Pasadena, Calif.
17 Rickie Lee	Clarence E. Tibbets	Rita I. Gardner	Brownfield, Me.	North Conway
18 Jay Keysar	William B. Hounsell	Barbly Keysar	Conway	Canaan, Vt.
20 Kenneth Harold	Harold C. Williams	Ruth T. Moody	Brookline, Mass.	Jackson
21 Sherwood	Lawrence L. Gray	Louise M. Fernald	Bennington, Vt.	Jackson
26 Cathly Jean	Roswell H. Boutlier	Lillian L. Eastman	North Conway	Kearsarge
28 Brenda Marie	Philip T. Letoux	Gwendolyn M. Howard	Portland, Me.	Concord
29 Sharon Lee	Richard C. William	Bertha B. Hill	Jackson	Bartlett
30 Roderick Allen	Rosalind M. Melrose	Lois A. Smith	Brookline, Mass.	Conway

Marriages Registered in the Town of Conway, N. H., for the Year Ending December 31, 1953

Date	Place of Marriage	Name and Surname of Groom and Bride	Residence of Each at Time of Marriage	Age of Each	Place of Birth of Each	Name, Residence and Official Station of Persons by Whom Married
Jan. 1	Conway	Warren G. Abbott	Lexington, Mass.	23	Arlington, Mass.	Leon A. Shirley, J.P.
24	Conway	Avis B. Simpson	Wrentham, Mass.	25	Quincy, Mass.	Conway
		Vaughn Sargent	Gorham, Me.	46	Maine	Thomas C. Roden, C.
31	Conway	June Taylor	Windham, Me.	21	Massachusetts	Conway
		John F. Lowd	Conway	23	Conway	Thomas C. Roden, C.
Feb. 7	Fryeburg, Me.	Nancy C. McGinty	Fryeburg, Me.	18	Washington, D. C.	Conway
		William W. Briggs	Fryeburg, Me.	22	Conway	Horace W. Briggs, C.
8	Conway	Jean Webster	E. Conway	77	Conway	A. Eugene Fryeburg, Me.
		Walter J. Hart	Gorham	26	Stark	Conway
10	Conway	Sandra J. Howard	New York City, N. Y.	18	Conway	Leon A. Shirley, J.P.
21	Conway	Alfred N. Bergman	New York City, N. Y.	54	Sidney, Neb.	Conway
		Doris S. Reynolds	New York City, N. Y.	41	New York City, N. Y.	Conway
23	Conway	Clifford W. Russell	Conway	23	Conway	Lewis A. Chase, C.
		Marion L. MacAllister	Conway	26	Madison	Conway
28	Conway	Philip L. Kendall	Conway	25	Boston, Mass.	Leon A. Shirley, J.P.
		Mary Joyce McDaniels	Conway	22	Conway	Conway
Mar. 8	Portsmouth	Norman O. Desjardins	Conway	22	Auburn, Me.	Leon A. Shirley, J.P.
		Elinor M. Gross	Conway	25	Rochester	Conway
		Thomas Davis	Portsmouth, N. H.	23	Massachusetts	Charles G. Berry, C.
11	Conway	Mary F. Hanscom	Mexico, Me.	19	New Hampshire	Portsmouth
		Walter Drakus	Rumford, Me.	34	Rumford, Me.	A. Eugene Lloyd, C.
22	Fryeburg, Me.	Lillian Lobakis	Conway	18	Rumford, Me.	Conway
		William S. Ballou	Conway	23	Glenay	G. Myron Kimball, N.P.
29	Conway	Shirley L. Northrup	Conway	18	Conway	Fryeburg, Me.
		Stephen R. Burke	Conway	23	Conway	Thomas C. Roden, C.
Apr. 2	Conway	Martha A. Garland	Conway	19	Conway	Conway
		Fred A. Wescott	Conway	22	Bartlett	Thomas C. Roden, C.
5	Madison	Kathleen M. Burke	Conway	20	Conway	Fergus Lea, C.
		James M. Fortier	Conway	34	Chocoma	Bridgton, Me.
6	Conway	Charlotte M. Lyman	Madison	30	Newburyport, Mass.	William J. Collins, R.C.P.
		Howard D. Doucette	Milan	22	Milan	Conway
		Ida T. Arseneault	Berlin	24	New Hampshire	Conway

Marriages Continued

11	York, Me.	Walter H. Shaw	Fryeburg, Me.	19	Canton, Mass.	Charles S. Stevens, C.
11	Conway	Joyce E. Smith	Conway, Mass.	18	Melrose, Mass.	Cape Neddick, Me.
13	Conway	William J. Hurton	Malden, Mass.	24	Malden, Mass.	William J. Collins, R.C.P.
13	Conway	Priscilla Ann Lane	Conway	25	Boston, Mass.	Conway
18	Conway	William C. Harriman	Fryeburg, Me.	18	Fryeburg, Me.	Leon A. Shirley, J.P.
18	Conway	Vaquette L. Turgeon	Conway	16	Conway	Conway
19	Madison	Clayton C. LaForge	Portland, Me.	35	Maine	William J. Collins, R.C.P.
19	Madison	Priscilla Cobb	So. Portland, Me.	32	Maine	Conway
25	Concord	William E. Frost, Jr.	Madison	28	Madison	Frank F. Thomas, C.
25	Concord	Phyllis A. Frost	Conway	21	Salem Depot	Tamworth
May	1	Arthur E. Lord	Conway	28	New Hampshire	Francis E. Potter, C.
May	3	Lucille Leavitt	Concord	24	New Hampshire	Concord
May	9	Stanley C. Ames	Lewiston, Me.	49	Bradford, Me.	Thomas C. Roden, C.
May	30	Nelson K. Gendrolis	Lewiston, Me.	33	Lewiston, Me.	Conway
June	6	Kathleen M. Spruce	Corinna, Me.	43	Maine	Lewis A. Chase, C.
June	7	Maurice Beliveau	So. Thomaston, Me.	34	Maine	Conway
June	13	Evelyn F. Vinton	Poughkeepsie, N. Y.	23	Canada	William J. Collins, R.C.P.
June	13	David M. Zack	Lovell, Me.	26	Westfield, N. J.	Conway
June	20	Jeanine K. Allan	Conway	20	Bridgeport, Conn.	Thomas C. Roden, C.
June	20	Philip T. Ledoux	Conway	20	Littleton	Conway
June	20	Gwendolyn M. Howard	Conway	48	So. Portland, Me.	Lewis A. Chase, C.
July	7	Perley A. Cross	Conway	29	Concord	Conway
July	13	Laura H. Brooks	Kezar Falls, Me.	71	Concord	Thomas C. Roden, C.
July	13	Ronald E. Jenkins	Conway	65	Eston	Conway
July	13	N. Joyce Smith	Watertown, Mass.	20	Waltham, Mass.	Charles L. Durgin, C.
July	20	Robert G. Gray	Kearsarge	20	Conway	Rangeley, Me.
July	20	Carolyn F. Sanphy	Conway	20	Foxboro, Mass.	William J. Collins, R.C.P.
July	20	Ralph L. Leavitt	Conway	29	Kearsarge	Conway
July	20	Bernice R. Leavitt	Conway	29	Bridgeport, Me.	Leon A. Shirley, J.P.
July	20	Thomas W. Pomerleau	Berlin	23	Concord	Conway
July	20	Arlene M. Munroe	Conway	20	Berlin	John V. Moran, R.C.P.
July	27	Roland F. Wiley	Fryeburg, Me.	19	Conway	Conway
July	27	Alayne E. Benson	Conway	24	Westbrook, Me.	L. Winfield Witham, C.
July	10	Fred G. Folberth	Cleveland, Ohio	16	Conway	North Bridgton, Me.
July	12	Virginia E. French	Conway	27	Cleveland, Ohio	Lewis A. Chase, C.
July	12	Warren G. Abbott	Lexington, Mass.	27	Massachusetts	Conway
July	12	Avis B. Simpson	Weymouth, Mass.	29	Arlington, Mass.	Leon A. Shirley, J.P.
July	15	Wallace B. Nichols	Portland, Me.	35	Quincy, Mass.	Conway
July	15	Betty L. Sparkman	Portland, Me.	32	Freepont, Me.	Thomas C. Roden, C.
July	15	Walter D. Mallett	Cape Elizabeth, Me.	20	Portland, Me.	Conway
July	15			34	Portland, Me.	Leon A. Shirley, J.P.

Marriages Continued

25	Conway	Mary B. Clark	Portland, Me.	33	Portland, Me.	Fergus Lea, C.	Conway
Aug.	1	Gerald S. Wheat	Moravia, N. Y.	31	New York	William J. Collins, R.C.P.	Bridgton, Me.
	1	Katherine J. Gass	Conway	23	New Hampshire	Thomas C. Roden, C.	Conway
	1	Karl A. Lowell	Conway	22	Foxboro, Mass.	Eugene S. Watson, C.	Conway
	1	Shirley A. Gray	Conway	17	Chatham	L. Hamlin Greene, J.P.	Conway
8	Madison	Franklin O. Smith	Madison	17	Conway	John V. Moran, R.C.P.	Conway
13	Conway	Bernice B. Jones	Conway	21	Chocorua	A. Eugene Lloyd, C.	Conway
21	Conway	William M. Smith	Conway	27	Bridgton, Me.	Gerald C. Milliken, C.	Conway
22	Conway	John H. Shaw	Conway	50	Cannon, Vt.	Ellsworth H. Newton, S.J.	Conway
24	Conway	Beatrice E. Armstrong	Farmington, Me.	48	Bladeford, Me.	Albino M. Martins, R.C.P.	Conway
Sept.	4	William M. Smith	Conway	18	Phillips, Me.	E. Providence, R. I.	Conway
	4	George W. Fernald, Jr.	Conway	17	E. Freetown, Mass.	John V. Moran, R.C.P.	Conway
	4	Nathalie H. Fernald	Conway	16	Conway	Bernard M. Carter, J.P.	Conway
	4	Marlyn I. Day	Conway	51	Rockland, Me.	Ralph A. Harmon, J.P.	Conway
5	Conway	Charles E. Perry	Conway	24	Orleans, Vt.	William J. Collins, R.C.P.	Conway
5	Conway	Rebecca R. Hardy	Abington, Mass.	22	Ashland	Thomas C. Roden, C.	Conway
5	Conway	Clayton B. Heath	Conway	21	Conway	Gerald C. Milliken, C.	Conway
5	Conway	David S. Crockett	Manchester	22	Cranford, N. J.	Ellsworth H. Newton, S.J.	Conway
5	Conway	Charles E. Valden, Jr.	Conway	22	Newport, R. I.	Albino M. Martins, R.C.P.	Conway
5	[E. Providence, R. I.]	Loiraine H. Bowley, Jr.	Newport, R. I.	22	N. Attleboro, Mass.	E. Providence, R. I.	Conway
9	Conway	Ludrich B. Barnes, Jr.	Intertale	19	E. Providence, R. I.	John V. Moran, R.C.P.	Conway
12	Conway	Barbara F. Duarte	Portsmouth	17	California	Bernard M. Carter, J.P.	Conway
20	Pelham	William J. Packard	Conway	26	Center Harbor	Ralph A. Harmon, J.P.	Conway
26	Conway	Calvin J. Hill	Conway	18	Derry	William J. Collins, R.C.P.	Conway
26	Conway	Arlene D. Sing	Conway	19	Portland, Me.	Thomas C. Roden, C.	Conway
26	Conway	Albert N. Densmore	Conway	24	Conway	Arnold P. Hanson, J.P.	Conway
26	Conway	Carol A. Davis	Conway	30	New Hampshire	Thomas C. Roden, C.	Conway
26	Berlin	John N. King, Jr.	Conway	19	Maine	Frank F. Thomas, C.	Conway
27	Conway	Marjorie A. Kinslow	Conway	26	Conway	Tamworth	Tamworth
Oct.	1	Arthur P. Smith, Jr.	Conway	29	Tamworth		
	1	Rebecca Trafter	Conway				
	1	Bernard E. Conway	Kearsarge				
	1	Dorothy E. Philbrick	Berlin				
		Clyde W. Merrill	Conway				
		Irene M. Scott	Conway				
		Linnel F. Lord	Redstone				
		Stella R. Lord	Tamworth				

Marriages Continued

3	Portsmouth	Howard F. Richardson	Conway	45	Conway	J. Warren Somerby, J.P.
3	Fryeburg, Me.	Esther Gorman	Fryeburg, Me.	27	Conway	Tjaard A. Hommes, C.
10	Conway	Corliss S. Watson	Conway	24	Kingfield, Me.	Fryeburg, Me.
20	Conway	Shirley A. Carlson	Berlin	18	Conway	L. Hamlin Greene, J.P.
24	Conway	Ronald H. LaPoint	Conway	20	Gilead, Me.	Conway
24	Conway	Pauline R. Blum	Barre, Vt.	18	Cambridge, Mass.	Lewis A. Chase, C.
24	Conway	Reginald E. Drown	Barre, Vt.	42	Wheelock, Vt.	Conway
24	Conway	Maria C. Balzanelli	Framingham, Mass.	37	Barre, Vt.	Thomas C. Roden, C.
24	Conway	Leonard A. Ralston	Framingham, Mass.	33	Framingham, Mass.	Conway
24	Conway	Vera M. Whitehouse	Orono, Me.	28	Nova Scotia	Thomas C. Roden, C.
24	Conway	Guy E. Wheelock	Bangor, Me.	23	Orange, N. J.	Conway
24	Conway	Patricia L. Wilson	Conway	21	Bangor, Me.	Conway
Nov. 14	Conway	Robert E. Davidson	Brownfield, Me.	18	Conway	A. Eugene Lloyd, C.
Nov. 14	Conway	Mary E. Barton	No. Abington, Mass.	18	Brownfield, Me.	Conway
20	Fryeburg, Me.	Robert A. Spratt	Conway	22	N. Abington, Mass.	John V. Moran, R.C.P.
20	Fryeburg, Me.	Elaine R. Clemens	Fryeburg, Me.	22	Conway	Conway
8	Bartlett	Burnham M. Boucher	No. Conway	18	Whitefield	Horace W. Briggs, C.
11	Conway	Eleanor A. Allan	Conway	34	Conway	Kalman L. Sulyok, C.
11	Conway	Edward M. Libby	Bath, Me.	40	Conway	Bartlett
20	Conway	Dorothy M. Wakefield	Bath, Me.	68	Newton, Mass.	Nettie M. Hill, J.P.
20	Conway	Levi C. Wade	Bath, Me.	42	Itumford, Me.	Conway
20	Conway	Eva Paulin	Laconia	22	Massachusetts	J. D. O'Connor, R.C.P.
27	N. Fryeburg, Me.	Denis M. Kilroy	Berlin	23	New Hampshire	Durham
31	Conway	Lois-Joan C. Marcou	East Conway	23	Bangor, Me.	Carl S. Weist, C.
31	Conway	Ralph C. Woodward	Fryeburg, Me.	19	Portland, Mass.	Ctr. Lovell, Me.
31	Conway	Peggy Ann McDaniels	Springfield, Mass.	28	Boston, Mass.	Thomas C. Roden, C.
31	Conway	John P. Poor	Conway	26	Conway	Conway
31	Conway	Alice R. Trotter	Conway	26	Conway	Conway

Deaths Registered in the Town of Conway, N. H., for the year Ending December 31, 1953.

Date of Death	Name and Surname of Deceased	Age			Place of Birth	Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother
		Years	Months	Days			
Jan.	2 Francis A. Butland	82			Kennebunk, Me.	Albert Butland	Mary E. Hanscomb
	3 Charles E. Nicholson	74			Bartlett	Nathan T. Nicholson	Carrie Emery
	10 Peter M. Allan	83			Worcester, Mass.	Archibald Allan	Rebecca Haddock
	14 Abbie I. McCall	80			Waldoboro, Me.	William B. Groves	
	15 Lydia Eastman	56			Brownfield, Me.	Lyman Cook	Ella Woodis
	29 Leslie C. Hill	75			Brownfield, Me.	James Hill	Emma Hill
Feb.	31 Maybury H. Norris	55			Laurel, Maryland	Ralph W. Norris	Anna B. Harrison
	1 Frederick N. Gibbs	64			Winsted, Conn.	Frederick Gibbs	Nancy Makwell
	25 Alice G. Freeman	68			Whitman, Mass.	George M. Gifford	Abbie J. Robins
Mar.	2 Ora S. Hiscock	100			Wilton, Me.	James Hiscock	Leanora Parker
	2 Elsie M. Kinslow	63			Conway	Seth Berry	Cyrene Whitaker
	2 Elias S. Hutchinson	74			Shirley	Daniel Smith	Ann Smith
	3 Theresa A. Eagles	63			Allegheny, Pa.	Harry Eagles	Rose E. Hall
	8 William H. Roy	42			Newport, Vt.	William Roy	Josephine Folson
	13 Lydia J. Bean	79			Cambridge, Mass.	Henry Fisher	Mary Anderson
Apr.	9 Carl A. Johnson	66			Hayward, Wisconsin	Olaf Johnson	Fannie Bickford
	9 Florence D. Rudd	66			Porter, Me.	Anaibne W. Gray	Catherine
	9 Julia A. Bickford	76			Ireland	William Disken	Alice L. Stasinowsky
	9 Marjorie A. Anthony	14			Cornish, Me.	Philip L. Anthony	Ella White
	19 John Hayford	80			South Tamworth	John A. Hayford	Alice Trye
May	26 Alice M. Masterton	89			Macbias, Me.	Richard Leary	Laura D. Hamilton
	1 Henry E. A. Durell	78			Pennsylvania	Alfred M. Durell	Susan Osgood
	7 Mary R. Davis	85			Conway	James T. Randall	Annette Drew
June	30 Mayhew C. Allard	75			Eaton	Smith Allard	Laura Salmon
	15 Lewis P. Willard	65			Andover, Mass.	Albert E. Willard	Josie M. Tuttle
	17 Merrill L. Leach	48			Stoughton, Mass.	Herbert L. Leach	Hough
	20 Hattie M. Lyons	91			Danbury, Conn.	—Hoyt	Marcia Dearing
	24 Charles W. Poole	81			Massachusetts	William Poole	Ellen Hilton
	28 Jane A. Savard	3			North Conway	L. T. Savard, Jr.	Eliza M. Hayes
	28 Josie M. Leach	77			Lyndonville, Vt.	David S. Tuttle	

Deaths Continued

July	10	Hellen M. Piffeld	88			James M. Gibson	Martha L. Eastman
	16	Edward J. Johnson	58			Piere Godien	Adelie Germain
	19	Joseph Godien	76			Wilfred Bourque	Virginia Sheraton
	25	David J. Bourque		24		Barley Hill	Bertha Sweet
	26	Barbara Brooks	38			William Proctor	Matilda Allen
Aug.	29	Mark A. Proctor	86			Levi Mulliken	Irene Jewett
	3	Anna L. Yeaton	79			Granville Perkins	Celeste Chase
	13	Enos G. Perkins	81			Harry Harris	Lila Russ
	16	Louis A. Harris	43			Thomas J. Allard	Mary J. Moulton
	27	Charles P. Allard	77			Eben Farnham	Eunice ———
Sept.	3	George A. Farnham	78			John D. Littlefield	Emma S. Drew
	5	Ina E. Glidden	62			George J. ———	
	13	Harold J. Belanger	32			Frank Cole	Etta Hazalton
	17	Samuel G. Cole	67			Willard H. Gerry	Flora M. Burnell
	18	Elmer H. Gerry	63				
	26	Alice Fergusson	83				
Oct.	2	Frank O. Lowd	69			Charles Lowd	Sarah Abbott
	2	Howard H. Ramsay	74			Hugh Ramsay	Mary Penwarden
	2	James P. Davidson	84			Thomas Davidson	Robey A. Potter
	8	Carrie D. Kimball	78			Gordon P. MacAlister	Fannie McDaniels
	14	John Cody	69			Erlan Cody	
	17	Judith A. Gilman	1			John C. Gilman	Minnie Parker
	21	Alice K. Thompson	63			Reuben King	Catherine Godine
	23	Alice L. Harriman	96			Sylvester Wilson	Rowena Heath
Nov.	10	Richard Tobin	75			Richard Tobin	Margaret Dolan
	15	Eben F. York	84			Eben York	Jane Potter
	30	William H. Looby	76			William H. Looby	Margaret McCabe
Dec.	6	Howard W. Drown	32			Percy Drown	Grace Perkins
	14	Lilla B. Greenwood	83			Daniel Merrill	Clara McClintock
	16	Peggy Ann Ross		2		Ellwood O. Ross	Ethel Race
	17	Carl A. Anderson	63			John M. Anderson	Sophia Swanson
	19	James J. Sheridan	59			Oliver M. Sheridan	Mary Sweeney
	30	Ira A. Ramsay, III	56			Ira A. Ramsay	Jennie Williams
	30	Charles C. Parent	85			Jacque Parent	Delima Pecteau

I hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a true transcript of the record of all births, marriages, and deaths, that have been reported to me for the year ending December 31, 1953.

LEON A. SHIRLEY, Town Clerk

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